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The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Trahey & McDonald, ship builders, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by Thomas H. Trahey, who assumes all liabilities of the late firm and to whom all moneys owing to the firm are to be paid.

Dated this 26th day of May, 1893.

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THE CYCLONE'S HOME

Kansas and Missouri Again Storm Swept.

GREAT DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY

Rumors in Regard to the C. P. R. Steamship Service.

Conclusion of a Great Mining Shit—Removing the Remains of Jeff Davis—How a Sick Banker was Served With Writs—Latest Proceedings of the Nicaraguan Revolutionists.

Kansas City, Mo., May 26.—Dispatches from several towns in Missouri and from one point in Kansas report a severe wind storm of almost cyclonic violence. The storm was accompanied in every instance by either hail or a downpour of rain resembling a cloudburst. No loss of life or severe injury is reported, but the telegraph lines are down in the country surrounding the towns the storm struck. When communication is again established it is not likely it will be found that the storm caused any deaths. Much damage of minor importance was done to barns and other buildings, and in Missouri the crops suffered severely.

At Sedalia, Mo., the wind attained a terrific velocity. It surged under the tent of Ringling Brothers' circus and snapped the five poles supporting the canvas like pipe stems. The tent came down with a crash, burying 2000 people beneath it. All were removed without injury. The presence of mind of the circus employees prevented a panic after the accident.

At Brookfield, Mo., the storm struck the round house of the Hannibal and St. Joe Railway, and it was partly demolished. Some of the engines were badly damaged. A number of workmen were in the building, but all escaped unhurt. Hail accompanied the storm at New Cambria, Mo., and damaged the crops.

At Martinsburg, Mo., about 4 this afternoon, a severe storm struck the place, levelling trees, fences and outbuildings, and doing other damage. Nineteen loaded freight cars were blown off the Wabash track and their contents scattered about the fields.

Vandalia, Mo., May 26.—A terrific cyclone struck Ladenia, a small town ten miles west of here, last evening at 6 o'clock, killing Jack Wils, of Furber, Mo., and seriously injuring six others, also destroying five large business houses and five dwellings. Many persons were badly bruised.

Steamship Service Rumors.

Montreal, May 26.—It is asserted here that the Canadian Pacific railway will shortly purchase the steamships Arizona, Alaska and City of Rome. The plan is to place these vessels on the Vancouver and Japan route and transfer the Empresses from that route to the Quebec and Liverpool service which they propose to purchase.

For the Defendants.

Helena, Mont., May 26.—The great mining law suit of the St. Louis Company against the Montana Mining Company for $2,500,000, terminated to-day with a verdict in favor of the defendants.

Jeff Davis' Remains.

New York, May 26.—Mayor J. T. Ellyson, of Richmond, Va., came to New York yesterday and last evening left for New Orleans, accompanied by Miss Winnie Davis. Mrs. Jefferson Davis was also to have gone to accompany the remains of her husband from the Crescent City to the old Confederate capital. At the last moment, however, she was compelled to abandon the idea owing to indisposition. Mrs. Davis will go to Richmond probably to-morrow, or at least to be in time to be present at next week's ceremonies. Mayor Ellyson and Miss Davis are to be of the party to leave New Orleans on Sunday with the body of Jefferson Davis. They expect to arrive in Richmond early next Tuesday morning. Along the route the governors of states will board the funeral train, and at Atlanta, Raleigh and other cities through which the train is to pass, preparations are made to pay tribute to the dead. Miss Davis will be received at New Orleans by her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Haynes.

Served by Strategy.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 26.—Last February private banker Rockafellert closed the doors of his bank on 840 depositors. The report of the assignees showed that the depositors would get four per cent. on the dollar. A meeting of all depositors was held this afternoon. Heretofore it was impossible to serve warrants of arrest on the ex-banker, as he remained in bed. Physicians testified that he was unable to leave his bed. Last evening Constable Bauer, disguised as a delivery man for a grocery store, gained access to Rockafellert's kitchen. He made his way upstairs and served nine warrants on the banker, charging him with embezzlement. Rockafellert sent for his friends and E. F. Bogart furnished $25,000 bail. More warrants will be sworn out to-day, and it is believed that Rockafellert cannot secure a sufficient amount of bail to keep him out of jail.

Nicaragua's Revolution.

Panama, Colombia, May 26.—The Nicaragua Canal Company's lake steamer Victoria, the whereabouts of which has been unknown, is being used as a troop transport by the revolutionists. It was of great service in conveying 500 troops commanded by Gen. Montiel to San Carlos, which surrendered to the insurgents on the 12th instant without a shot being fired. Since Roma, the most important port on the Mosquito coast, is in the hands of the revolutionary generals, Alfaro and Chamberlain, there is no doubt San Juan del Norte will be quietly surrendered. Santiago Morales' elevation to the presidency is not construed as a permanent appointment but merely a shift to give credit to the revolutionary party.

Coast Seamen and Shippers.

San Francisco, May 26.—The proposed plan of the ship owners of the coast to control all the seamen of the coast and destroy the Seamen's union has created a great deal of agitation along the water front and in labor circles generally. Sailors sneer at the ostensible purpose of the plan to improve their condition, and declare that it will simply revive the old crimping system and will establish a rigid espionage which they will not tolerate if they can help it. The leaders say they will fight, and that they have every reason to believe that success will crown their efforts. Sailors, they say, are at present very much in demand. No better proof of that is necessary than the fact that since January the ship owners have sent out 2,000 non-union men. The secretary of the Sailors' Union says that not one man in ten of those shipped is a sailor, and that ship owners have exhausted their resources at a time when sailors are absolutely necessary and wages under ordinary circumstances ought to be high. Outside of the evident intention of the plan to regulate wages, the most obnoxious feature is that of registration, which the men say they will never submit to, no matter what follows.

A COAST SURVEY.

A Need for Canada—An Escaped Convict Captured.

Ottawa, May 26.—The department of justice received a dispatch stating that Harry Hill, the escaped convict from the Stony Mountain prison, had been arrested at Detroit, under the name of Harry Hayes, for opium smuggling. The department sent a party to identify the prisoner, who has served two years out of the ten to which he was sentenced for burglary.

At the meeting of the Royal Society yesterday Prof. Johnston read an important paper on the need of a coast survey for Canada. He suggested that the government should establish a subdepartment on a similar basis to that of the geological survey, which would do for Canada what the coast survey had for many years been doing for the United States. A resolution to that effect was adopted and the proceedings closed.

The bodies of Angelina, aged 5, Joseph, aged 6, the two children of Gregory Jolliffeau, were found floating in the Ottawa River here. They were drowned on Tuesday afternoon.

The Baroness Macdonald and Hon. Mary Macdonald will leave here to-morrow for Montreal, whence they sail by the Vancouver on Saturday for England.

NO GRAVES READY.

Two Funeral Parties Delayed by Careless Cemetery Attendants.

Nanaimo, May 26.—A literary and debating club was formed last night with the following officers: President, Capt. Dempster; Vice President, J. A. Menzies; Secretary-Treasurer, R. Ingles. The subject for next week is Home Rule.

A special train brought in a double funeral party from Wellington yesterday, the funerals of J. B. L. Jones and Mrs. Jones. Wellington lodge, K. of P. was in attendance. At the graveyard the party were delayed till evening by a disgraceful state of affairs—the gravedigger had not dug the graves. The lodge men took off their coats and dug them themselves. The council will enquire into this.

The horse racing on Haliburton street drew a large crowd yesterday afternoon. Peck's Cunid was the best trotter. Scale's Larry won the pony race, and Peck's Poison the open race.

LOOTED THE HOTEL.

Three Thieves Make a Fine Haul—Death of John Doyle.

New Westminster, May 26.—Three men went through the bedrooms of the Caledonia hotel on Front street yesterday afternoon while all the inmates were down stairs, opened trunks and decamped with everything valuable they could lay hands on. The robbery was not discovered till late in the evening. Three men who have been living in the house were at once suspected, but it was found that they had left on the last ferry for the south side and passed on towards Blaine. The value of the goods missing amounts to several hundred dollars.

John Doyle, the well-known logger, who had his feet severely frozen last winter, died early yesterday morning in St. Mary's hospital, after prolonged suffering. He was 57.

EVICTING SHACK TENANTS.

Foreshore Dwellers to be Ejected—Burglars at Work.

Vancouver, May 26.—A. St. G. Hamersley and Hamilton, barristers, acting under the authority of the Dominion Attorney-General, are taking steps to remove the inhabitants from the shacks on the foreshore of Burrard Inlet and False Creek. The case comes up next week.

The council will tax the fire insurance companies $250 each.

Captain Worsnop's house was entered by burglars on Wednesday while the family was absent, and $300 worth of jewelry was stolen, including some wedding presents.

Pat Keenedy was arrested yesterday afternoon for the larceny of $370 from George Black, Hastings. He had spent half the money on wine in a low resort. He was committed for trial this morning.

Saloon fees have been raised to $600 a year.

President Van Horne and party arrived yesterday afternoon and left for Victoria this afternoon. In the party are Hon. David Mills, T. G. Shaughnessy, C. R. Hosmer, J. H. R. Molson, of Molson's Bank, and R. Horne Payne, a London stockbroker.

Robert Johnson, the winner of the single sculls championship race at Victoria on the 24th, was dined last night by his friends.

Another Australian Suspension.

Melbourne, May 26.—The Mercantile Financial Trustees and Agency Company, has suspended payment. The nominal capital exceeds £4,000,000, and British deposits in the institution amount to £300,000.

Eastern Canadian News.

Toronto, May 26.—Charles R. Clarke, editor of the Orange Sentinel, and a brother of ex-Mayor Clarke, died yesterday of congestion of the lungs, aged 45.

Quebec, May 26.—The weather here is keeping very cold. Farmers in the surrounding parishes are three weeks behind in agricultural operations.

The construction of a large new machine for disinfecting with sulphur was started to-day at the Grand Trunk Railway station, South Quebec.

Toronto, May 26.—The remnants of the goods and chattels belonging to the defunct annexationist paper, the Sun, were sold by auction yesterday to satisfy the landlord because of unpaid rent. They brought $55.

Garden tools at McLennan & McFeely's.

RIGHT OF SEIZURE

Sir Charles Russell Quotes American Precedents.

WHEN SEARCHING IS JUSTIFIABLE

Reparation Due When Suspicion is Unfounded.

An American Who Denied the Right to Seize Foreign Vessels Except in Time of War—Professor Elliott Cast Off as Untrustworthy by the American Counsel.

Paris, May 26.—Sir Charles to-day continued his examination into American precedents on the right of seizure. He said that the occupation of Pensacola, Fla., and the bombardment of Greytown were justifiable, as it was a retaliatory war. He referred to the alleged assertion of exclusive claim by Great Britain to the banks of Newfoundland and showed that her exceptional rights were acquired by treaty with France and Spain, and did not apply to other nations, and were never asserted after the declaration of independence, and the claim was specifically denied by Lord Bathurst in 1815. This view was endorsed by American counsel. The Halifax commission in 1877, also the report of the congressional committee in 1886 were discussed with reference to the enforcement of penalties in violation of British quarantine laws outside territorial limits. Sir Charles explained that such could be enforced only after the offenders had entered territorial waters, therefore there was no analogy. He then took up the question of the right of search. He showed that the searching of slave vessels was to ascertain if they were fraudulently flying the wrong flag. Sir Charles quoted Lord Stowell and Judge Story, who agreed that no authority existed for the interruption or seizure of the vessels of friendly nations; also Lord Malmesbury, who officially acknowledged that reparation was due to vessels interrupted when suspicion of fraud was proved to be unfounded. He quoted American Secretary Case, 1859, who strongly denied the right of interruption or seizure of foreign vessels except in time of war.

Sir Charles then referred to Mr. Phelps' analogy as to distant light houses, and showed that protection rested on territorial, not property rights, and analyzed the American argument as to the laws of other nations for protecting seal life. The Falkland Islands' regulations, he showed, were only applicable within territorial limits, and never enforced beyond. Every reference to American Commissioner Elliott evokes vehement protests from the Americans, Mr. Carter stigmatising him as absolutely untrustworthy.

Sir Charles disputed the American contention that the Newfoundland fishery right, claimed under the treaty of 1783, sanctioned the American claim to the exclusive right of seal fishing in Behring Sea. The treaty of 1818, whereby Great Britain and the United States agreed that all territory in dispute, claimed by either, between the Rocky Mountains and the Pacific ocean, should with its harbors, bays and rivers be open and free for ten years to vessels and citizens of both nations, was conceded. Sir Charles said there were certain liberties within territorial limits, but there could be no dispute about these rights out of those limits. American state papers show that Great Britain has always recognized the universal rights of nations in open seas. Indeed, for years, American, French and British fishermen had equally frequented the banks of Newfoundland, and British quarantine penalties were only applicable when offending vessels entered a British port, and therefore quarantine laws afforded no analogy to the seizure of foreign vessels on the high seas.

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

News in Brief From Various Parts of the World.

Sydney, N. S. W., May 25.—The Banking bill introduced by the government in parliament to relieve the present financial crisis was passed to-day without revision or amendment. The public have received with rejoicing the news of its passing, as a restoration of confidence is expected to accompany the operation of its provisions.

London, May 26.—The Calcutta correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: "The Indian government has refused to assist the Siamsee with arms and ammunition; nevertheless it is determined to protect British interests in Siam, if necessary, by annexation."

London, May 25.—A despatch from Shanghai says that the departure for Washington of Yan Tsen, the new Chinese minister to the United States, has been deferred pending the Washington reply to the Chinese questions concerning the Geary act.

Athens, May 25.—Earthquakes continue to shake Attico and Thessaly. In Thebes and the villages near by hardly a house has been left uninjured.

Vienna, May 25.—Owing to the recent outrageous conduct of young Czechs in the Bohemian diet, at Prague, all the parties in the Austrian delegation have resolved to exclude young Czechs from all committees of the imperial delegation.

Vienna, May 25.—Faulus Meyer, a converted Jew and ex-Russian Talmudite, who asserted that he was an eye-witness to a terrible massacre of Jews in Russia, has been arrested at the request of the German supreme tribunal at Leipsic with a view to his extradition to Germany on a charge which has not been made known.

Will Marry an Indian.

Sisseton Agency, S. D., May 26.—The Goodwill Mission society is stirred up over the marriage of Miss C. D. Rockwell, a teacher, and Richard King, full-blooded Indian, attached to the working force of the mission. Miss Rockwell came from Washington, where it is said she once reigned as a belle. King is a widower and speaks tolerably good English. King for some time has been licensed to preach, and at the session of the Indian presbytery recently held on the reservation, he applied for ordination. His application was refused, as investigation showed that his character was not exactly as it should be. Miss Rockwell still remained true.

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SUNDAY OPENING QUESTION.

The Sabbatarians Have Not Given Up Hope of Success.

Chicago, May 25.—The first shot in the Sunday opening fight has been fired. United States District Attorney Milchrist, following a conference with Attorney-General Olney, in Washington, has sent a telegram of instructions to Assistant District Attorney Hand in Chicago. That official has already begun the work of drawing up a bill for an injunction restraining the World's Fair Commissioners from opening the gates on Sunday. The application for an injunction will be filed in the United States District court as soon as completed, which will be on Friday or Saturday. This afternoon Mr. Hand said: "Congress provided for Sunday closing without giving the commission any discretionary powers in the matter. That is the stand we will take; what the District court will decide is a question. We expect to file the bill in time to secure an injunction, which will close the gates this Sunday. It will be directed to both the directory and commission."

Sunday closing, so far as the National commission is concerned, was defeated in the final discussion before that body today. Commissioner Hundley, of Alabama, who has been assisting Mr. Marsey in the Sunday closing movement, and who is a member of the judiciary committees, brought the matter up today, upon what he called "unfinished business." He said the minority report was substituted for the majority two days ago simply for action in the order of business, but it did not dispose of the report providing for the closing of the gates on Sunday. Mr. Hundley made a strong argument and his law points were well taken, but from common usage and custom, the chair thought there was no unfinished business before the commission. Mr. Hundley, pushing the matter, was only beaten on the point "No quorum." This effectually settles the National Commission's opposition to the Sunday fair, as there is no likelihood of a quorum being obtained before July 1st.

THE WHISKEY TRUST.

Proceedings Begin in Court for the Investigation of Its Powers.

Chicago, May 26.—The petition upon which to-day's proceedings in the Whiskey Trust litigation is based, sets forth that the corporation has no existence under the laws of the state. It gives the history of the organization of the concern, showing that it has been operated in such a manner that it has evaded the law and usurped powers not legally conferred upon it.

The petitioner alleges that the concern exercises such power of control over the output of distillery products and over dealers as to destroy all competition in their manufacture and sale. That it has exceeded its franchise in acquiring the whole property and right of certain distilleries and closing them, thus destroying all competition between them and the distilleries operated by the trust. By means of a rebate system it is alleged the company is enabled to bring under its control every dealer who becomes a patron of it, and thus forces him to give the company his exclusive trade, enabling it to dictate prices to consumers at pleasure.

The trust was organized in this city May 10th, 1887, and was composed of the following firms and liquor dealers: The Chicago Distilling Company, with a capital of $50,000; the Woolner Bros. Distilling Company, of Peoria, with a capital of $450,000; the Great Western Distilling Company, of Peoria, with a capital of $100,000; the Monarch Distilling Company, of Peoria, with a capital of $250,000; the Peoria Distilling Company, capital $100,000; Mill Creek Distilling Company, of Cincinnati, the Maddox, Hobart & Co., of Cincinnati, George K. Duckworth Co., of Cincinnati, and the Mound City Distilling Company, of St. Louis. By agreement the trust thus created was vested in nine trustees: William A. Hobart, George K. Duckworth, Lewis H. Green, Peter J. Henessy, Alfred Bevis, John B. Greenhut, Warren H. Corning, Adolph W. Woolner and John H. Francis.

Certificates were issued to show the interest of each in the trust. Each subscriber transferred absolutely to the trustees all the stock he held in the foregoing corporations. One year after the trust was organized it had absorbed 81 additional companies. The petitioner alleges that the trust has secured the ownership or control of every distillery in the United States north of a line run in the latitude of the Ohio River, and that it produces or controls 95 per cent. of the entire product. That since the company was organized its policy has been the same as that followed by the Distillers' and Cattle Feeders' Trust, which was the original form of the organization before it was incorporated under the laws of Illinois.

The system of rebate is explained in the petition to show the court its pernicious effect. When a purchase is made of the company a voucher accompanies the bill on which the purchaser can obtain a rebate of seven cents a gallon, provided he deals with the company for the next six months, at the end of which time the rebate will be paid over. If, however, he buys from some one outside the trust, the rebate is lost. In his petition the attorney-general sets forth as specific acts of violation of the franchises of the company the closing of the following distilleries: The Birmingham, the Miller, the National, the P. H. Rice, the Chicago Northwestern, and the Phoenix. By closing these concerns it has violated the law of the state, as it operates to prevent and destroy competition. The unlawful usurpation of power by the company in the maintenance of a monopoly in the production and sale of distillery products has, it is alleged, worked an injury to the people of Cook county, the State of Illinois, and of the United States.

Lord Salisbury in Ulster.

Belfast, May 25.—Lord Salisbury, in responding to an address presented to him at Ulster hall to-day, contended that the union of Great Britain and Ireland had not proved a failure. If Ireland had experienced periods of distress, Ireland on the whole had been benefited by the union. Mr. Gladstone had challenged his (Lord Salisbury's) declaration that 20 years of resolute government would suffice to establish peace and prosperity in Ireland. The fact was that only six years of Conservative law had shown that these remedies would succeed. Lord Salisbury repudiated the reports from Gladstonian sources to the effect that, if home rule should be defeated now, the Conservatives and their Liberal-Unionist allies would suggest a similar scheme. This report had no foundation. Whenever the Conservatives should again be in charge of the government they would go back to the policy which they had already put to test with good results. Lord Salisbury afterwards proceeded to take the train for Baron's Court, in County Tyrone, the seat of the Duke of Abercorn. The route to the station was lined with crowds, which hailed the expremier with hearty cheers.

CANADIAN DISPATCHES.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

The sawmill of James Stark at Paisley was burned this morning.

George Baird, aged 19, of Arnott, fell from the roof of a barn to the ground 18 feet below, receiving fatal injuries.

The furniture firm of Hinton & Mill London, has shut down. They employ 40 hands. The assets, it is understood, will meet the liabilities.

Rev. Mr. Ware, a Baptist clergyman of Lindsay, was drowned at Sturgeon Point, where he was spending a few days recruiting his health.

A dispatch from Sherbrooke says that a serious charge has been preferred against Eugene Bresse, of abducting and marrying across the line Maria Armide Rainault, a pretty 15-year-old Sherbrooke girl.

It has been discovered that two men lost their lives in the storm which burst so suddenly upon the Island of Montreal on Tuesday afternoon. One was the well-known Lachine pilot St. Denis, and the other an Indian belonging to Caughnawaga.

Salt was struck recently at the Canadian Pacific railway well No. 2 near Windsor at a depth of 1,125 feet. The building and apparatus required in the process of manufacture will cost $125,000. One thousand barrels will be the daily output when the works are well under way.

The Dominion Steamship Co. is about to add still another splendid vessel to its already large fleet. The new steamship, which is being built by Harland & Wolff, of Belfast, Ireland, will be larger and faster in every way than even the Labrador, the latest addition to the Dominion line.

Sir Edward Birbeck, one of the members of the royal commission on electric communication with lighthouses, has come to Canada for the purpose of investigating the light system. He will spend two or three weeks visiting the principal light stations on the gulf, for which purpose the government steamer La Canadienne will be placed at his disposal.

The Governor-General has received a telegram stating that the Queen has permitted the title "Royal" to be applied to the Canadian permanent corps, and all commanding officers are to be so advised. General Herbert cabled his congratulations to the different Royal Canadian regiments and ordered the remission of all unexpired punishments.

Captain Thomas Leach, a well-known sailing man of Toronto, succumbed to an ailment with which he had been battling for the past eight years. In 1859 and subsequently he sailed the steamer Admiral, which plied between Quebec and Shediac. He was also captain of the Chicora, running between Toronto and Niagara for a number of years.

A tragic accident took place during the last voyage of the steamship Buenos Ayrean. During a gale, while the vessel was rolling heavily, a woman, a steerage passenger, named Jacobdatter, was standing on deck with some of her friends, when, without a moment's warning, a boom swung round, striking the Norwegian heavily on the head. The poor woman was knocked to the deck under the bulwarks by the force of the blow and her head was badly crushed. She expired the next day and was buried at sea.

A young man named Alderic Deschamps, aged 24, appeared before the Montreal police court charged with having attempted to commit suicide by throwing himself into the river. The prisoner told the judge that he loved a young lady, and, after spending $3,000 upon her, had been rejected, and as all his hopes had centered in the girl in question, he had no desire to live. With this his honor sent the young man to jail, but Deschamps declared that he would take his own life as soon as he regained his liberty.

The Ontario board of health passed resolutions urging the minister of agriculture to amend the order-in-council of April 18 to include disinfection of immigrants' wearing apparel, it having been shown that disease has been carried by immigrants protected only by vaccination. It is also recommended that, in view of the possible introduction of cholera and small-pox, that four provincial inspectors be appointed for sanitary inspection in the four health districts into which this province is divided.

Pere Arnaud, the devoted missionary to the Indians on the coast of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, states that there is no truth whatever in the dreadful story of murder and cannibalism that has come from that quarter, and that it is clearly the invention of evil sensational minds. The real facts are that an Indian family composed of the old father and mother, the youngest daughter and their son and his wife went back last fall into the interior on their usual winter hunt, which completely failed, and that only the father and daughter-in-law escaped back to the coast, which they would never have lived to reach had they not been providentially met and relieved by a halfbreed family named Gordon. The mother, daughter and son perished on the way from starvation.

Preliminary steps have been taken for the organization of the proposed new Atlantic and Lake Superior railway route. The new line is from Sault Ste. Marie to Ottawa and Montreal, then on to Levis and over the International to Gaspe basin, and connects with the Northern Pacific at Duluth. The capital will be $10,000,000. Following are elected the first board of directors: President, Hon. J. R. Thibaudeau, Montreal; vice-president, Col. Chisholm, New York; second vice-president, D. Bergin, M. P., Cornwall; secretary, C. N. Armstrong, Montreal. Directors, A. P. Gault and J. N. Greenshields, Q. C., Montreal; D. Davis, Ottawa; R. R. McLennan, M.P., Glengarry. It is also proposed to run a fast line of steamships from Gaspe to Liverpool. The project contemplated by the new company is a most important one, as the promoters expect, if they succeed in floating the scheme, to enter into serious competition with the Canadian Pacific railway, and the project may thus have an important bearing on the transcontinental traffic. The promoters claim powerful English and American backing.

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Newspaper Questions Discussed.

Chicago, May 26.—To-day's session of the world's press congress was set aside for the members of the National Editorial Association. Addresses were delivered as follows: "Does the daily press color its news too highly?" by John A. Sleicher, of the New York Mail and Express; "Current events, and the press' relation thereto," Benjamin B. Herbert, of the National Journalist, Chicago; "Is the publication of a newspaper a public trust or a private enterprise?" by ex-Governor William D. Hoard of Wisconsin; "Recklessness in Journalism," by John B. Stoll, of South Bend, Ind. The American Newspaper Publishers' Association held an extensive meeting this morning, and to-night they will bring their meeting to a close with a grand banquet at Kinsley's. Covers will be laid for 300 guests.

Geary Act Excitement.

Seattle, May 25.—Pioneer Square was crowded to-night with several thousand people in attendance upon an anti-Chinese meeting. The purpose of the meeting was for a public expression of opinion as to the enforcement of the Geary act. The crowd was enthusiastic but orderly. President Cleveland was condemned in a series of resolutions for interfering with the carrying out of the act. Among other things he was described as the greatest anarchist in the country. No political significance was given to the meeting. The character of the crowd was of the solid laboring class, who were apparently doubly interested in the discussion. The quiet discussions among those present were as interesting as all the speeches of the formal speakers. All appeared determined to have the Chinese driven out. It would have taken but little incentive to have convinced the crowd to have taken the law into their own hands. One resolution was that Attorney-General Olney should seize all the property of the Six Companies and use the proceeds of its sale to deport the Chinamen.

France in Siam.

Paris, May 25.—Colonial difficulties are again menacing the French government. Official dispatches regarding the situation are exceedingly vague, evidently intended to hide French reverses until an adequate naval force can be concentrated. The admiral's flagship Triomphante is coaling at Hong Kong and preparing to sail for Siam. The cruiser Forfair is lying at Saigon awaiting orders. The question is further complicated by a demand of French subjects for indemnity for damages. One of them claims 100,000 francs. In an interview with Admiral Vallon, he declared a more energetic policy must be pursued in Schamahad, Madagascar. Le Journal des Debats declares the hasty occupation of Khong, before the raise of the Megong river, was a tactical mistake, and affirms on private information that the French officials throughout the south of Indo-China and Cochin China complain of being left without instructions in the midst of their trouble.

Steel Trade Depression.

London May 25.—President Richards, in addressing the Iron and Steel Institute at the annual meeting yesterday, said that the year 1892 had been one of the worst ever known in the iron and steel industries. They are still greatly depressed and the oulook is gloomy. The production of pig iron has fallen off 600,000 tons, and steel rails are in the worst condition. The total falling off in exports of metals and machinery as compared with 1891, amounts to £7,000,000. The market is now swamped, and there is not enough work for half the country's steel production power. Mr. Abel, who followed the president, spoke in an encouraging and hopeful tone, and expressed the opinion that there were signs of improvement. Great Britain, he said, was bound to remain the first iron ship-building country in the world. It was announced that John Fritz, of Bethlehem, Pa., will be presented with the Bessemer gold medal.

Not to be Sent by Mail.

The British postoffice has given notice that hereafter the following articles, even if samples only, if sent by mail to Great Britain, will not be delivered on arrival, but will be turned over to the customs authorities to be disposed of as may be deemed proper: Cocoa, coffee, chicory, currants, figs, figcakes, dried plums, raisins and apricots, peas, tobacco (manufactured or not, including cigars, cigarettes and snuff), hydrate of chloral, playing cards and transparent soap, in the manufacture of which alcohol is used. The public is therefore cautioned against posting any of these articles addressed to Great Britain or Ireland, as they will not be forwarded by mail from this country. Articles of glass and liquids, oil and fatty substances are also excluded from British mails.

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North and South Pandora streets,

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And other necessary drains not specified.

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of such works is $125,000;

AND WHEREAS for the purpose aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the city the sum of $125,000.

AND WHEREAS it will require the sum of $8,125 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest hereinafter mentioned.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the corporation of the city of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll, being for the year 1892, was $18,749,125.

AND WHEREAS it will require an annual special rate of four-fifths of one mill in the dollar for the payment of the interest and for creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said new debt according to the Municipal Act, 1892.

AND WHEREAS it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $125,000 00 currency, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the treasurer of the said corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $125,000 00 in currency, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall be made payable in fifty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect, at the office of the treasurer of the said corporation, in the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signature of the Mayor and of the Clerk of the Corporation respectively to the coupons may be affixed by printed, stamped or lithographed fac simile.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4 1-2 per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly at the office of the said treasurer.

Sec. 5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon an equal special rate of four-fifths of one mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the city of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 6. In case of any conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy between the provisions of this by-law and any of the provisions of the Local Improvement By-law, 1892, as amended by By-law No. 178, entitled, "A By-law to amend the Local Improvement By-law, 1892," the provisions of this by-law shall prevail and override any of the provisions of such Local Improvement By-law to the extent of any such conflict, inconsistency or repugnancy, but this by-law shall not be deemed to in any wise repeal, alter or amend such Local Improvement By-law and amendment, except in so far as this by-law is concerned, and then so far only as is necessary to give full force and effect to this by-law.

Sec. 7. This by-law shall before the passage thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said corporation in a manner provided for by the Municipal Act, 1892, or any amendment thereto, and shall take effect on the first day of May, 1893.

Sec. 8. This by-law may be cited as "The Surface Drains By-law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council this 27th day of March, 1893.

Received the assent of and confirmed by the municipal electors on the 18th day of April, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted, and finally passed by the municipal council on the 19th day of April, 1893.

(Sd) ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

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NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the 19th day of April, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

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DIET REFORM.

Fruit and Nuts Used to Replace Bread and Vegetables.

Modern science wields an iconoclastic club against all our pet theories and traditions. Bread that has been from time immemorial regarded as the staff of life is, according to Dr. Helen Dinsmore, responsible for much of the nervous irritation and prostrations of the age and leads to intemperance. The little child cries for a banana and is persuaded to eat large quantities of bread under promise of the fruit as a reward. According to Dr. Helen and her theory, as quoted by the New York Sun, the child's desire for fruit is a natural and reasonable one which should be indulged to the fullest extent.

Bread and all cereals, according to the new philosophy of dietetics, are not digested by the stomach but rather in the intestines, where the digestive power is less vigorous and is overtaxed in assimilating them. The strain upon the nervous system involved calls for a pick-me-up first in the form of tea and coffee or tobacco, and finally wine or alcohol. Vegetable foods, from their excessive potash, demand large quantities of salt, which in turn paves the way by depressing the nervous system for the use of narcotics and stimulants.

Fruit and nuts, on the contrary, are adapted to the tastes and appetites of men without the addition of salt or irritating spices; are more easily digested and assimilated than cereals and vegetables, and furnish the same supply to the waste of the body that bread laboriously digested less naturally furnishes.

The system is too intricate for presentation in full, but the diet recommended by both Dr. Helen and her husband, Dr. Dinsmore, consists primarily of fruits and nuts, but sweet fruits supplemented by milk and eggs are recommended during the transition of diets, especially for vegetarians. One invalid was brought out of a dangerous illness by eating two figs with a teacup of milk three times a day, increasing the amount gradually until now she eats four ounces of Tunis dates, half a pint of milk three times a day, two eggs, a little fresh butter and a few ground pine kernels every day.

Another woman is thriving and working on eight ounces of Halloni dates, one-half pint of milk and one ounce of pine kernels for breakfast, and figs, dates, milk and nuts for the other meals, which are taken at intervals of six hours three times a day. An elderly woman who is taking the diet has corrected the tendency to obesity from which she suffered, her hair has not lost its color, her eyes require no spectacles, and everywhere she is taken for her own son's wife or sister. According to Dr. Dinsmore, when this diet becomes universal beauty will come to be recognized as no more the property of youth than of age. The athletic form of age, with its open and unwrinkled brow, will have no gray deformity, no deadly germs of languor and diseases, no wrinkles, but perfect hearing, clear eyesight, sound teeth, elastic step, physical vigor and spiritual contentment.—New York Sun.

A WOMAN'S DREAM.

Utopian Vision of the Girl of the Future—Interesting Prospectus.

Mrs. Ruth G. D. Havens of Washington recently formulated for the Society of Womodunghsis a most interesting prospectus for the "girl of the future."

"This girl of the new era," says Mrs. Havens, "if she marries, will be set free by co-operative methods from household drudgery. Half the families on a square will enjoy one luxurious, well-appointed dining-room, where the expenses will be divided among the families and where excellent cooking and wholesome diet will be served. We are passing dangerously through the era of animal sacrifice, sweetened starch, boiled dough and celluloid pie. The girl of the future will abandon these means of suicide and adopt a wholesome, natural diet, largely of the fruits which come to us in such orderly succession and generous abundance.

"Housecleaning will cease to be a bugaboo, for the house of the future will be cleaned by companies organized for the purpose, and will be the work of a day instead of the labor of weeks. Its results will be a sense of freshness and immunity from disease instead of a backache, nervous prostration, collapse and an influx of patent medicines.

"The girl of the future will select her own avocation. If she be a houseworker, as a majority prefer to be, she will be so valuable by means of good training as to command great respect and good wages.

"If she be an architect or a jeweler, an electrical engineer or a steam-plow driver, she will not rob a cook by mutilating a dinner or a dressmaker by amateur cutting any sooner than she will buy pine and brimstone and make her own matches. Matches are satisfactory already. Cooking will be when cooks choose their profession for love of it and are trained, and paid, and honored, and people are fined who cook without knowing how. The dressmaker, by preparation, will be an artist, and the girl of the future will not come apart at unseasonable times in public places.

"So it will seem that, although a minority of the girls of the future will sometimes choose and prepare to be astronomers or civil engineers instead of housekeepers, the home of the future and the husband—and in this case he spells it with a big H—will not be left to the mercy of incompetent and exasperating servants. The housekeeper of the future will not be incompetent, because the development and training of woman for her best and truest work will have extended to her. She will preside in your kitchen with skill and science, and you will not pay her $6 a month and offer her a precarious ironing-board across two chairs for a bed."

UNAFFECTED ROYALTY.

Charming Traits of Sweet Queen Margherita of Italy.

Even as the heroism and self- oblivion of the Italian King during the cholera at Naples helped to establish his dynasty on the throne even more than his gallantry in the field of battle, so the beloved Queen Margherita, the Pearl of Savoy, has won the affections of her people by constant devotion to works of charity and her interest in the welfare of her subjects, says the New York Sun.

From the day of her engagement to the Prince she has lost no opportunity of studying the welfare of the Italians. She insisted that such portions of her bridal trousseau as could not be actually made in the charitable or church institutions should be purchased through the tradesfolk at Turin.

The Queen is a remarkably well-read woman and is so accomplished and has so wide a range of cultivation that she always finds a subject in common with those that have distinguished themselves in the literary and artistic world whom she delights to receive. She is extremely fond of music and listens graciously to aspirants for musical fame who beg audience with her. Nor does her patronage of the musical world end at the doors of the Quirinal, for she is a constant attendant at the concerts in the city and rarely leaves before the performance is over or before she has called up some old favorite or new aspirant for fame to congratulate them on their success.

In Piedmont and Lombardy she wears the peasant's dress, with its sleeveless corsage of black velvet, its full white chemisette and short scarlet petticoat. The heavy headdress of snowy linen, fastened with massive gold pins, she exchanges for a lighter veil, but beyond this and her grace and dignity of bearing there is little to distinguish her from women of the lower class in Italy. She is an enthusiastic mountain climber, and goes so fast and so far, contenting herself with a light midday meal of wheaten cake and dried goat's flesh or a bit of bread and milk, that few of her delicately nurtured ladies in waiting can keep up with her.

When in Rome she rises at dawn and takes long walks in the Borghese gardens, and later, in simple morning costume, she enjoys going about the streets shopping and looking in at the windows like the ordinary woman of humbler rank, and finds amusement in the crowd, which is unaware that the graceful form going about in simple guise is Margherita, the Queen. Her favorite jewels are pearls, and every birthday her husband's gift is a necklace counting the years of her life in pearls. She is rarely seen without one or more of these pearl chains about her neck, and on great occasions she wears many of them, covering her throat and bust and hanging far down over her waist.

White, too, is the Italian Queen's favorite color in dress, and a pretty story is told of how she went to the King not long ago and questioned him as to whether she was too old to wear her white gowns any longer. "Ah! that is a matter requiring grave consideration," said the King. "I will give you my answer after I have thought the matter over." Some days later a box arrived from Paris and was sent up to the Queen with the message, "This is my answer." Inside were snowy gowns more delicate and beautiful than any the Queen had ever seen before.

THE CONGO ARABS.

Their Defeat by the State and the Results of the Same.

The dispatches from the Congo Free State during the past three months have chronicled the steady progress of the state forces in their contest with the Arabs. The latest news is that Lieut. Dhanis has occupied Nyangwe, the great centre of the slave trade on the Congo, and the residence of the principal Arab chiefs, who, a year ago, rebelled against the state's authority.

Nyangwe has been more talked about than any other place in Central Africa, because for many years it was the greatest centre of Arab enterprises west of the lake region; and until after Stanley descended the Congo it was the most western place inhabited by Zanzibar Arabs. It stands on the right shore of, and rises 40 feet above, the Congo. It was here that Livingstone witnessed the massacre of natives, a large part of them women, who had come there to trade and were shot down by the Arabs Livingstone thought the wide river before him was the Nile. Here Cameron, who wished to follow the mysterious river to its mouth, was compelled, owing to his inability to procure canoes or aid from the Arabs, to leave the great problem unsolved, and to strike southwest across the continent. Here Stanley began his descent of the unknown river, and never left it until he reached the sea; and here a year ago the Arab chief, Munie Moharra, organized the revolt, whose first white victims were members of the hapless Hodister expedition and officers of the Congo State.

Lieut. Dhanis, who marched east from the Sankuru river, inflicted two crushing defeats upon Moharra, killed the Arab leader in the second fight, and captured his capital. The white leader, a Belgian, 31 years old, who has served several years in the Congo State. Having captured Nyangwe, he was at last accounts advancing southeast to Kasongo, the best built Arab settlement in equatorial Africa, and the capital of Sefu, the son of Tippu Tib. This young man joined the rebel cause, took part in the two battles of November and January last, and when last heard from was fleeing east as fast as he could travel, leaving his big town to its fate.

The result of the war has delivered the state from the great dangers with which the Arabs threatened it. They must now submit to the laws, or cross the eastern border, retiring from the large region in which they had been supreme since 1868.

In the early days of their enterprises the Arabs of Zanzibar were content to remain on the coast, purchasing from the natives such produce as they brought there. About 40 years ago, however, they began to move inland, gradually pushing their stations far west until in 1868 they reached the Congo. In some respects they have undoubtedly exercised a favorable influence. They have done something to show the agricultural possibilities of the country. Their large plantations of rice and bananas are scattered along hundreds of miles between Lake Tanganyika and Stanley Falls, but ivory and the slave trade have engaged most of their energies, and they have wantonly taken the lives of many thousands in their quests for ivory and their raids for slaves.

The Brussels anti-slavery conference of 1890-91 bound all the powers having territorial possessions in Africa to put an end to these horrors. Thus far the cause has made splendid progress, and, although at first the difficulties seemed appalling, the work of bringing the Arabs of the interior into subjection has been well advanced. The prospects are now bright for delivering the natives of Africa, within the next ten years, from their greatest scourge.

Foresight.

"A few days ago," says a travelling man, "in passing through a town which had been badly wrecked by a small hurricane, I met a man who had protected himself against loss by cyclone, and who was able to survey the ruin of all he possessed on earth with the utmost complacency, while his neighbors were almost distracted with grief. I asked him casually why he had taken the precaution, having learned that he was the only man in town who had such a policy. He told me that when a boy he had narrowly escaped being killed by a cyclone, and the danger had so impressed him that he had carried cyclone insurance ever since he had started housekeeping, which was well-nigh a generation ago. The sentiments of the neighbors toward this fortunate man were quite interesting. One or two, of course, were small enough to be jealous of him and to tell anecdotes of how some folks had more luck than they deserved, but the majority spoke more in admiration than envy, and there seemed to be a general sentiment that the man who had thus provided against danger in the midst of safety was the most suitable man in the district to run for Congress."

Con Moto.

The young man who wore his hair long and talked music had been to call on the young woman, and when he took his leave she took herself into the library where her father was and threw herself on a sofa wearily.

"Tired?" enquired the father.

"He's been talking music in the abstract," was all she said.

"What did he say about it?"

"Well," she replied, "he said that the musical faculty is located in the second frontal convolution of the brain, and as it has a centre in each cerebral hemisphere, a strong development of it expands the temporal region of the cranium about where the hair begins."

"Was that all?" smiled the father.

"Oh, no; he said further that the temperament, or mixture of the bodily elements must be very carefully considered, and, as the tone art is so largely a matter of feeling and suggestion, the degree of sensitiveness and responsiveness in the fibre of the individual will be only second in importance to the development of the brain."

"Why didn't you ask him to sing after that?"

"I did, papa; I did," sighed the girl.

"And did he?"

"Yes, he did; and he sang 'White Wings' and 'Comrades.'"—Detroit Free Press.

In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Conway, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that probate of the will of the deceased having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to or having claims against the estate are to forthwith make payment or application for payment as the case may be, to the executors at the office of S. Perry Mills, 46 Langley street, Victoria, B.C.

Dated 15th May, 1893.

C. H. DICKIE.
WILLIAM T. MARSHALL.
Executors of the Estate of Elizabeth Conway, deceased. my16-1m

Notice---Municipal Act, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria, to be held on Wednesday, 14th day of June, 1893, for a renewal of my license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the premises known as "The Wilson" Hotel, situate on Lot 421 Yates street, in the city of Victoria.

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Forms of tender can be obtained on application to the undersigned at the company's office, Victoria, B. C., and at the office of Messrs. Wulffsohn & Bewicke, Ltd., Vancouver, and no tender will be considered unless made on such form.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Victoria, B.C., May 8th, 1893.

A. J. WEAVER BRIDGMAN,
my16-tu-sa-td Secretary-Treasurer.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Provisions of the Creditor's Trust Deeds Act, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that James Munroe Miller of the city of Victoria, printer, by a certain deed dated and executed by him on the 18th day of May, 1893, assigned to me, Thomas T. Hull, of the same place, accountant, all his real and personal property for the purpose of paying and satisfying rateably or proportionately, and without preference or priority, all his creditors their just debts.

The said deed was executed by me, Thomas T. Hull, on the 18th day of May, A.D. 1893. All persons having claims against the said assignor are requested to send them in on or before the 31st day of May next to me the undersigned with full particulars in writing, signed by the party claiming.

All persons indebted to the said assignor are also required to pay the amounts due by them to the assignor, to me on or before the above date.

THOMAS T. HULL.
Dated Victoria, 18th May, 1893. m18-1m

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W. RIDGWAY WILSON,
Architect.
May 22nd, 1893. my23

Notice of Removal.

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The Daily Times.

SEALS AND FISH.

Sir Charles Russell seems to have pretty well demolished the arguments advanced in support of the contention that the seals should be considered the property of the United States because they resort to the Pribyloff Islands for breeding purposes. As reported in our dispatches yesterday, he brought forward numerous facts showing how absurd that contention is, and it is rather amusing, as well as remarkable, that these facts should have been partly supplied by Prof. Elliott, who was employed by the Washington government to examine into the seal question. One point, it appears to us, might have borne a little more elaboration than was granted it, so far as the dispatches show. Sir Charles Russell pointed out that the seal subsists wholly on fish; he gets none of his means of living from land belonging to the United States, or any other country. According to Prof. Elliott's estimate, the seal herd annually consumes six million tons of fish. Now it is absolutely certain that a very large proportion of this immense fish supply is found by the seals in Canadian waters. On their journey to the breeding grounds and back south they consume millions of fish that are as much natives of Canada as the seals are of the United States. If, then, the United States is to be awarded sole possession of the seals and the sole right to kill them for their skins, how much is Canada to get for feeding the animals in transit? The fact is that the American contention in regard to the seal being a domestic animal appears a little too absurd to be soberly considered by any body of reasonable men. There are other things in connection with the conduct of the American case which seem calculated to excite surprise, and a good American paper, the Chicago Herald, notices some of them in this way:

At this distance we can hardly understand the occasion for heat or for recrimination before a tribunal so dignified and so august, but from the beginning there has been more or less irritation between the counsel. At the very opening there was altercation as to issues and facts and there has been more or less of undignified interruption on one side and on the other ever since. This certainly does not tend to raise the controversy into that empyrean of justice and equity among nations that has been so long dreamed of and hoped for. To tell the truth it is not a pleasant thing to look upon. The temper the American counsel have shown is really inexplicable and can only be ascribed to their consciousness that they follow a losing suit. No criticism can be made as to their presentation of the American case. That has been done with splendid eloquence, but even the most patriotic American must recognize the fact that the argument has been greatly shifted and has been placed on a ground not hitherto recognized by nations. It is not likely that this high argument will be sustained, and our counsel must already recognize this. They surely see that the American claim has been driven from one position to another, always in retreat, until there is no vestige of it left.

Taking this view of the case, or indeed any view, it was a most ungracious thing for the American counsel to say that their government would not respond to whatever damages might be awarded against it. This attitude smacks too much of police court shystering to be acceptable to the American people. If we have agreed to an arbitration let us stand by it, no matter what the result. We have chosen the tribunal to decide the questions in issue, and it would come with a poor grace from us to cry that we would not stand it unless we could have the decision. That would be rather too much after the fashion of "heads I win, tails you lose." We are not playing a confidence game, and every seal in the Pacific might be slaughtered ere we should sacrifice our national reputation for honesty and fair dealing.

We ourselves have exterminated the buffalo from our plains, a much better fur-bearing animal than the seal. Shall we then go to war and disgrace ourselves in the eyes of the nations and of history because the seals may be exterminated?

ROBBING THE EMIGRANT.

The German steamship Waudrahm was stranded in the lower St. Lawrence while on her way to Montreal. Her steerage passengers lost their little belongings, and this is a picture drawn by a Montreal paper of a party of them who reached that city: "Fifty men, women and children, saved as by a miracle from a watery grave, dumped at the Grand Trunk station, helpless, friendless, moneyless, asking with wistful eyes in vain for succor, crowded into a small room with the most dreadful promiscuousness, without food or drink—and the rascally agent on the other side with his tongue in his cheek, and their money in his pocket." It seems that the rascally agent referred to is located in Berlin, that these poor people gave him the names of certain cities in the United States to which they wished to make their way, that he took their money and loaded them on the Waudrahm, assuring them that they would be carried by her to their destinations, and that they were landed in the predicament above described. Charitable Montrealers prevented them from dying by starvation. The party consisted of Poles, Russians and Germans—all nationalities were good enough for the harpy agent to prey upon. It is surely time that punishment were meted out to the conscienceless rascals who thus deceive and swindle poor emigrants; theirs is a peculiarly atrocious kind of robbery. It is noticeable that a good many of the cheats and swindlers exposed by Labouchere have at one time or other been in business as immigration agents, some of them having received considerable sums from the Canadian Government. The gentleman most recently castigated in Truth, Mr. John James Jones, was in our Government's service in this way not very long ago. It seems that either the immigration agency business has great attractions for the swindler, or there are great opportunities for the agent to develope in that direction. Of course, not all immigration agents are dishonest, but only too larges a percentage of them are, and these have only too many chances of doing most nefarious work.

Some effort is being made by the Conservative party to effect a consolidation of the Empire with either the Toronto Mail or the World. Four morning papers crowd the Toronto field very badly, and the members of the party find it a rather hard task to keep the Empire going. Then they are apparently anxious to deprive Mr. McCarthy of the support which the Mail gives him in his fight against the government. This is a pretty strong indication of the dread with which the "faithful" look upon Mr. McCarthy's outbreak.

Says the Mail: "As an illustration of the way the tariff is avoided by importers the method adopted to convert the American steamer Carolina into a Canadian vessel is instructive. If it were brought directly into the country for the purpose of being registered a duty of ten per cent. on the hull and fifteen per cent on the machinery would be collected. But before coming to Canada the Carolina proceeded to St. John's, Newfoundland, where it was registered at a nominal fee as a British vessel. When this was done the steamer was entitled to ply in Canadian waters or in any part of the empire. This is frequently done, and it indicates that the tariff on vessels might very well be dispensed with."

SHREWISH WOMEN.

Severe Treatment Meted Out to Scolds in the Days of Long Ago.

When our grandmothers talked too much our grandfathers, or, more properly speaking, the grandfathers of our contemporaries, had a way of dealing with them which effectually silenced their chatter. Some one says:—

"There is but one scold in the world and every man thinks he has her," an adage that no doubt originated in the days of our grandfathers and expressed their opinion of the feminine ability to make life a burden for every benedict who did not exactly conform in the minutest particular to what his wife deemed he should be.

Nowadays, of course, it is not to be supposed that married people quarrel. The refinement of the age is against it, and when a man is scolded by his wife there is naught for him to do but to grin and bear it. But in former days it was not so.

When a woman, one of our grandmothers, perhaps, became so liberal in the use of her tongue as to render herself conspicuous in the neighborhood where she lived, all her husband, if she had a husband, or her afflicted neighbors, if she was a widow or spinster, did was to proceed to the nearest magistrate and make charges against her as a "common scold."

A day was appointed for the trial, evidence was produced and if deemed conclusive the magistrate directed that she should be bridled and escorted through the town.

The scold's bridle was always kept in the Town Hall or in the church, and was an instrument well adapted to tame the spirit of even the most able and successful shrew.

It consisted of an iron band passing over the head from ear to ear, from the extremities of which another band from one to two inches wide passed across the face between the nose and chin.

In front a plate, projecting inward from the face band, entered the mouth and pressed down the tongue of the sufferer, thus effectually preventing any outcry.

From the extremities of the face band another thin iron semicircle passed around the head at the back, secured on one side by a hinge, on the other by a hasp and staple.

The backband was thrown open by means of the hinge, the bridle placed upon the head of the shrewish unfortunate; the hinged section was then closed and fastened with a padlock, of which the magistrate bore the key.

The scold was then tied by the wrists to the tail of a cart and escorted through the streets, preceded by a crier announcing her name, offense and punishment, and followed by a mob of idlers such as can always be collected to witness a scene of this kind.

One dose of such medicine, it might be supposed, would overcome the temper of any shrew, but in case it proved inadequate there was another remedy still more severe, which was rarely known to fail.

After the scold's bridle had proved its inefficiency to suppress the clamor of the scold and she was brought up again before a magistrate, recourse was had, as a last resort, to the ducking-stool.

The ducking-stool was a large chair without legs, which was fastened at the end of a long pole, balanced on the top of a post close to the waters of a stream or pond. The pole was arranged upon a pivot so loosely fastened that it permitted of a considerable vertical as well as horizontal motion.

The scold was securely strapped in the chair, a half-dozen pairs of strong hands, generally those of the witnesses in the case, seized the other end of the pole and revolved the unfortunate scold until she was directly over the water, when she was soused a sufficient number of times to kill the ardor and impetuosity of her tongue.

Generally she was ducked until she gave promise of permanent reformation and made oath upon the Bible or psalmbook, brought from the nearest church for that purpose, that she would scold no more.

But instances have been known of inveterate shrews refusing to promise anything of the kind, and in one case in the south of England 102 years ago an unlucky woman was ducked twenty-seven times before she was subdued, while a year or two before that another unfortunate was actually drowned, the determination of those inflicting the punishment to subdue her being equalled by her resolution not to yield.

A Family Friend.

No family should be without Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer. It can be given to the infant for the colic, and to the adult for rheumatism. There is scarcely a disease to which it may not be beneficially applied. It contains no deleterious drug, but may be used for the various ailments of mankind. Get the Big 25c Bottle.

The steamer Burt has been taken off the rocks uninjured.

THE WEST COAST.

Latest Events at Alberni—A Little Mining Excitement.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Alberni, May 24.—To-day is the first summer one we have had. Yesterday was very fine, but not so warm.

The Somas is running very swiftly, as the snow in the mountains is now melting. It is expected to be a big run all summer.

The Mascotte came in on Saturday night with a load of machinery for the paper mill and a massive stem boiler. She steamed up to the bridge and has been unloaded there—quite a sight for the natives to see. She is now ready to return to the Michigan wreck, and will shortly bring up another load of machinery.

Walter and Frank Stirling left to-day for the old country. Their father is ill and wishes to see them. F. Stirling proposes to remain in Scotland and study medicine. Walter will return here.

Quite an excitement was caused here last week in connection with a quartz ledge at Sproat's lake. A local amateur assayer, on first assay, made it to come out about $3,000 per ton, but subsequent assays do not support this. However, all the ledge has been claimed.

Yesterday a gang set out for the China creek ledge on Mount Moriarity, but it is not expected that they will reach it because of the snow. They are going to open the trail.

The tenders for the road work were opened on Monday and the contracts are all let. If all the contractors only carry out their work properly, it will be a good thing for the valley, as double the work will be done for the money.

AMERICAN NEWS NOTES.

Daily Chronicle of Events in The Great Republic.

Cambridge, Mass., May 26.—Harvard's famous centre in last year's football team, G. H. Lewis, was yesterday refused attention in Marks' barber shop on account of his color. The insult is resented by the Harvard students, who stand by Lewis to a man. Lewis has brought suit for $5000 damages against the barber and the students propose to boycott him.

Portsmouth, N. H., May 26.—Charles A. Shapleigh, of Elliott, Me., a deacon of the Methodist Church, attempted to commit suicide yesterday by hanging himself in his barn. Mrs. Dennard, a neighbor, tried to stop him. Shapleigh became enraged and endeavored to hang the woman but she escaped and aroused the family, who took care of the would-be suicide. He is insane.

Biddeford, Me., May 26.—John L. Sullivan did not appear in court yesterday to answer the charge of assaulting lawyer Lazotte. The pugilist was represented by counsel, who pleaded guilty on behalf of his client, and a fine of $100 and costs was imposed.

Toledo, Ohio, May 26.—Mrs. Charles Hatch, widow of an army officer, committed suicide to-day at Vantue by taking poison. A year ago Mrs. Hatch's son was overcome with heat and went mad. His mania was to kill his sister. Several times the mother saved her daughter's life. She kept the matter secret so that he might not be taken to an asylum, but the trouble drove her to suicide.

Chicago, May 26.—Six hundred members of the Salvation Army from 20 states are holding a congress to-day to discuss ways and means for raising new interest in evangelical work. The congress opened this morning with a service called "three hours at the cross," led by "Commander" and Mrs. Ballington Booth.

San Marcial, N. M., May 26.—By the explosion of a gasoline stove in a saloon yesterday afternoon, twelve business houses here, including the large, new, two-story opera house, were burned with most of their contents. Loss, $65,000, half covered by insurance.

San Jose, Cal., May 26.—Charles Ruttan, a young grocery clerk, who pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy, was this morning sentenced to 16 months in prison. He married two young ladies of this place, who lived in different parts of the city. He married wife number one by contract. Ruttan is well connected in this city.

Buffalo, N.Y., May 26.—Edward Newell, agent for the Domestic Sewing Machine Company, has made a general assignment, with liabilities between $40,000 and $50,000; assets about the same. The failure was caused by the financial troubles of a company in New York, to which he had given accommodation paper.

Madrid, May 25.—Premier Sagasta has persuaded his colleagues in the cabinet to retain their portfolios through the debate on the address from the throne. After the debate final action will be taken in regard to the construction of the cabinet.

Rome, May 25.—The police of Naples have discovered in the city evidences of a formidable dynamite plot. The lodgings of conspicuous anarchists have been searched, many bombs and material for the manufacture of explosives have been seized and several anarchists have been arrested.

London, May 25.—The premier has sent out a denial of the report that he will propose any special draft by parliament in connection with the Duke of York's marriage.

Simla, May 25.—A British officer just arrived from the Pamir says that the Russians have prepared for the arrival of 1000 troops at Fort Marghabia. He believes that, notwithstanding pacificatory assurances, more Russian troops will be moved through the Oxus valley during the coming summer.

Moscow, May 26.—The Czar and his suite arrived here to-day and were received with great pomp by the Grand Duke Sergius and his subordinates. During the illumination the largest triumphal arch in the city, at Kasnoya palace, caught fire and was burned to the ground.

Berlin, May 26.—A Polish meeting in Posen and a Clerical meeting in Schafenburg, were dissolved by the police last evening after several Democratic roughs had captured the platforms.

Brussels, May 25.—The Miners' International Conference, after a long and dull debate to-day, agreed upon the necessity of a better inspection of mines, and also voted as to the quality of men employed on the surface and those employed underground.

Wall paper and room mouldings at Mellor's, Fort street, above Douglas. *

A COOL CUSTOMER.

My friend, you make a rule, I see,
In passing through this valley tearful,
To keep your heart completely free
From feelings fond or fierce or fearful;
You stand aloof from Fate's swift stream,
And smile at Folly's sons and daughters
With wonder that they ever dream
Of dabbling in such dangerous waters.

Pray hear a fable of a fool,
Who lit a fire, rejoicing in it,
Because he felt the day was cool
And growing cooler every minute.
But when the smoke began to rise,
And flames flew high and sparks flew higher,
He said, "Perchance I was unwise
To play with such a thing as fire."

And so he blew his bonfire out,
Extinguishing its first flashes;
He flung the cinders all about—
Then died of cold among the ashes;
Remarking with his latest breath,
"In living coals some danger lingers;
So if one can but freeze to death,
One wisely never burns one's fingers."
—Ellen Thorneycroft Fowler in London Speaker.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World.

LACROSSE.

PRACTICE THIS EVENING.

The Victoria lacrosse team, although they beat New Westminster so easily, are not going to stop practicing for the match with Vancouver which will take place a week from to-morrow. This evening they will have their first practice since the match with New Westminster, and next week they will practice every evening. The team to play on the 3rd will be stronger than the one that played on the 23rd. Although it will be difficult to pick them, the two least expert men on the team will be retired, and their places filled by A. E. Macnaughton and Ketchum, both first class players. Bain may be home in time for the match. The juniors have been very backward this year. If they expect to play they should get out and practice.

YACHTING.

YESTERDAY'S MATCH.

The result of the race to Oak Bay yesterday was as follows:—

Yacht.	Class.	Actual Time.
Xora	A	3:15
Myth	B	3:28
Margery	A	3:51
Wanda	C	3:29
Ariel	C	3:37
Dawendena	A	3:57
Victoria	C	4:02

THE OAR.

RYAN WILL ROW.

Toronto, Ont., May 26.— John J. Ryan, amateur champion oarsman of Canada, will leave for England on Monday to row in the Henley regatta. His friends here are confident that he will beat the English amateur oarsmen. The Henley committee delayed answering his entry for weeks, and it is believed they were not anxious to have him row.

THE GUN.

VICTORIANS WIN.

The match at Macaulay's point yesterday between C. W. Minor and F. C. Maclure of Victoria and E. S. Barlow and F. S. Dodge of Tacoma resulted in a victory for the home couple, by 86 to 71, out of a possible 100.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and From the City and Province.

Geo. Gowen is down from Wellington.

Thos. Ladner is down from the Fraser.

A. F. Cotton is down from New Westminster.

N. S. Hoffar of Vancouver is at the Oriental.

Capt. McLellan of the schooner Americana is in the city.

A. E. Macnaughton returned from Vancouver last evening.

Capt. Wm. Webster and wife of Vancouver are at the Driard.

Wm. McKeon of the Oriental continues to improve in health.

Arthur Mathews and Carl Selle of Germany are at the Driard.

Chas. Baxter of the C.P.N. Company and Mrs. Baxter leave for the east in the morning.

Jay H. Adams, Mrs. Adams, Master Adamz and Miss Lilla M. Chute of Spokane are in town.

Dr. Douglas Corsan of Montreal has come to Victoria to remain, and will be associated with Drs. Duncan.

Charles H. Lugrin of Seattle, managing editor of the Telegraph, left for home last evening, accompanied by his daughters.

Charles L. White and Robert Carter of Little Falls and James McArthy of Helena, Mont., are among the guests at the Hotel Victoria.

Frank M. Carroll of Seattle leaves for home this evening. Miss Carroll will remain for several days the guest of Miss Anderson.

Madame H. Edwards Moore will leave tomorrow for London over the C.P.R., and by the Allan liner Sardinia on June 10th. She will return in the fall.

Mr. Czarnikow of London, one of the sugar kings of the world, will arrive in the city this evening with a small party and will be quartered at the Driard until Sunday.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—The Bellingham Bay and Angeles firemen will probably hold their annual picnic here on Dominion Day.

—An aquatic department in connection with the Y.M.C.A. is going to be formed, with John St. Clair as instructor.

—Lieut. Robert Plummer, of the U.S. cavalry, was not killed in Colorado, as reported. He formerly lived here.

—The boy who was lost during Tuesday's celebration has been restored to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waring of Spring Ridge.

—Courts of revision for hearing and determining objections to the retention of names on the register of voters are to be held at Salt Spring Island and at Vancouver on Monday, August 7th.

How the Tribunal is Entertained.

Every day that the Behring Sea arbitration court sits in Paris in the foreign office luncheon is provided, and the tribunal adjourns regularly at 1 o'clock to discuss some of Chevet's most recherche viands and the best brands of dry champagne, in a cool, shady room, whose northern windows overlook the spacious courtyard, with its flower bowers and railings now garlanded with wisteria in full bloom, against a background of fresh green elms. The members of the tribunal have been twice entertained at the Elysee, the Palais of the President. During the meal the band of the Garde Republicaine played English, American, Norwegian and Italian national airs, and after it was over the guests were invited to a promenade in the grounds. As usual, Mme. Carnot presided, sitting between two cabinet ministers—Lord Hannen and Mr. Harlan occupying the right and left of the President—although no ladies were included in the invitations.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The Best Blood Purifier, LANGLEY'S Sarsaparilla

ADAMS VS. McBEATH.

The Will Set Aside and the Estate to go to Relatives of Deceased.

Mr. Justice Crease gave judgment at 10:45 a. m., to-day in the now celebrated case of Adams vs. McBeath. The Attorney-General and Mr. J. P. Walls were present on behalf of the plaintiff, and Messrs. Thornton Fell and H. G. Hall acted on behalf of the defendant. A few who had known the deceased and took an interest in the result of the trial were in the court room, having heard that judgment would be delivered some time in the forenoon.

His Lordship cited that he had not yet completed his written reasons for the judgment, but at the request of counsel who acted in the interest of clients he would deliver judgment then, to be followed in a few days by a written judgment in which the reasons would be fully given. He had considered all the law bearing on the case and had read over all the evidence more than once and the doubt and suspicion surrounding the making of the will had not been removed from his mind. In short the plaintiff had not established that Samuel Adams, at the time he made his will, knew and approved its contents. His Lordship then said:—

"I adjudge and decree that the will of the late Samuel Adams, dated November 11th, 1891, be set aside and that the probate thereof granted unto the defendant be rescinded:

"That an enquiry be taken as to what property the defendant has received under the said will and that the defendant pay into court the value of the same:

"That an enquiry be taken as to the parties entitled to the deceased's estate, and that the said estate be distributed according to the statute in force for the distribution of the estates of deceased intestates:

"That an injunction be granted restraining the defendant from dealing with the real estate of deceased known as lot 302 in the city of Victoria:

"That the defendant pay to the plaintiff the costs of the action and that judgment be entered accordingly."

When his Lordship had concluded Mr. Fell rose and intimated that it was the intention of the defendant to appeal from his Lordship's decision to the Full Court which sits on the second Monday in July.

The Coquitlam Case.

This case, the particulars of which have been already given in the Times, and are well-known to its readers, came on for trial to-day before Mr. Justice Drake, without a jury. Messrs. E. V. Bodwell, H. Dallas Helmcken and A. L. Belyea appear for the plaintiffs, Messrs. Rithet, Earle and Carne & Muuste, as also for the defendants, Messrs. Cox and Hall, while Messrs. W. J. Taylor and A. St. G. Hamersley appear for the defendant, the Union Steamship Company, of Vancouver.

The plaintiffs commenced the action on October 10th, 1892, when they applied for an order for the delivery to them of the seal skins on board the Coquitlam Thereupon the Chief Justice directed that the skins be delivered to them on paying into court $9000. The plaintiffs now claim repayment of the $9000, with interest thereon, and $5000 damages occasioned by the delay in delivering the skins, whereby the plaintiffs lost the benefit of the October market, and by the depreciation in value of the skins owing to the want of proper care.

The defendant company counter-claims for $8966.98, made up as follows: Hire of Coquitlam from June 4th to July 4th, $2000, and from July 4th to October 4th, $6865.98; due for three passengers she carried north, $101. The defendants, Cox and Hall, allege that they were merely the plaintiffs agents and that the company knew perfectly well in what capacity they acted.

At 1 o'clock the court adjourned until 2:30.

Wedding Bells.

The Methodist church of Victoria West was the scene of an interesting ceremony on the evening of Wednesday, May 24th, when two of the most popular young people in the congregation were united. The contracting parties were Mr. William Thompson, formerly of Belfast, Ireland, but for some years a resident of Victoria, and Flora Belle, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald, who many years ago came to this city from North Sydney, Nova Scotia. The groom was supported by Mr. John W. Morrow, of Mount Pleasant, Vancouver. Miss Hattie Willard of Victoria West acted as bridesmaid. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George H. Morden, Methodist minister at Victoria West.

At the future home of the happy couple a sumptuous repast was provided, and after a very enjoyable evening the guests departed with sincere wishes for the happiness and prosperity of the happy pair.

City Police Court.

William Gillespie was fined $2 in the police court this morning for assaulting his wife, Eliza, with a knife. The woman pleaded for her husband. John Dougherty, scavenger, paid $5 into the city treasury for carting away night soil before midnight. William Kelly, drunk, was discharged, first offence. Joseph Nelken, a waiter at the Vienna dining rooms, was charged by C. Eissner, the proprietor, with using abusive language. The court thought that the language used was not improper. Nelken asked for his wages; he had worked a week. Eissner said that he paid only by the month. The court ordered Nelken to be paid and the case was dismissed, Eissner to pay the costs. Frederick Galor, aged 12, amused himself last night by giving Ah Hing a black eye. The case was remanded till to-morrow morning.

The Clergy Increased.

The clergy under his lordship Bishop Lemmens have been increased by the arrival of Rev. Father Vullings, recently ordained. The new priest is a Dutchman by birth and was educated at the American college at Louvain, Belgium. For the time being he will stay at Victoria.

The Watering Carts.

The city watering carts have not yet put in an appearance on the streets, and the storekeepers have to keep their delicate goods in the background. Clouds of dust gambol up and down the streets, playing havoc with everything they strike.

The Derby Sweep.

Most of the tickets for the British Columbia Derby sweepstake have been disposed of and the sale will probably close to-morrow evening, the drawing taking place at the Delmonico Hotel, Government street, on Monday evening.

Will Arrive This Evening.

President Van Horne, of the C. P. R., and a party of nine, will arrive here this evening on the Islander. Quarters have been secured at the Driard for them, and they will be here until Sunday.

"Our Boys."

"Our Boys" was presented at the Victoria theatre last evening to a fairly large audience. The different parts were fairly well sustained and the audience was pleased.

Will be Repeated.

The Indian entertainment given in the market hall on Tuesday evening, including the tug of war, and war and peace dances, will be repeated, by popular request, to-morrow night.

Council Meeting.

A special meeting of the city council will be held this evening for the purpose of considering the sewerage commissioners' report in reference to the McBean contract. Other sewerage matetrs will also be considered.

Into American Territory.

A telegram from Waneta, B. C., announces that the line of the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway was laid across the international boundary yesterday afternoon at 4:45. Work is being rapidly advanced by Contractor Larson.

Premier to Visit Kootenay.

Premier Davie will leave to-morrow evening for the Kootenay country. He will leave on the City of Kingston and go by way of the Northern Pacific, via Spokane. He will visit all the towns in Kootenay. Mrs. Davie will probably accompany the Premier.

Time Expires To-Morrow.

The shacks on Fisgard street which were condemned by the council are still occupied. The ten days which the occupants were given to vacate the cabins expire to-morrow, and the fire department will probably clean them out on Monday.

R. A. O. B.

There will be a special meeting of the R. A. O. B. this evennig to transact urgent business. There will be three candidates to go through the mysteries of the tribe. Next Wednesday there will be a general election of officers. The wild Buffaloes of Victoria will be treated to a good evening's entertainment with vocal and instrumental music.

Templars' Picnic.

Preparations are being made for the picnic of the Royal Templars of Temperance to be held at Nanaimo June 1. A special train has been chartered and will leave here at 7 o'clock in the morning, returning from Nanaimo at 8 o'clock the same evening. At Nanaimo the Victoria party will be met by the Vancouver and Westminster contingents. There will be music, sport and speeches.

English Liberal.

A party consisting of Edward Evans of Liverpool, his sons, E. N. Evans and E. B. Evans, E. Scott and H. Holden of Montreal, are at the Driard. Mr. Edward Evans is the head of a noted Liverpool drug house and is also a Liberal leader in his district. Before his departure a reception was given him by the Liberals of Liverpool. He is on a pleasure trip and will only be here a day or so.

Opening of the Vienna.

The dining-room of "The Wilson," Yates street, is known as "The Vienna" and open as a first-class restaurant. Both the service and the kitchen have been so much improved that guests going there will recall dining in one of the best restaurants in either Paris, Vienna or New York. Mr. Charles Eissner, formerly of Delmonico's, New York, is now managing this splendidly furnished and conveniently situated establishment, where meals may be obtained at all times. Table d'hote dinner is served from 12 to 2 and from 5 to 8, at 50 cents; with wine, 75 cents. Choice wines, liquors and cigars always on hand.

Port Angeles.

The steamer Alert took a special party of Angeles people back to their homes yesterday. The Port Angeles-Everett railway is looked upon as a sure thing by the residents of the neighboring city, and it is to be hoped their faith is not misplaced. The Port Angeles-Everett road brings us within 18 miles of a transcontinental terminus, and with proper transfer connections will make Victoria the terminus of the Great Northern railway. Angeles at the present time claims a population of about 5,000. There are two daily steamers, besides a regular line to Portland and San Francisco.

"The Mighty Dollar."

It is indeed a pleasure to announce the return to the stage of such an actress as Mrs. W. J. Florence. Some years ago Mrs. Florence retired from the stage. She was asked as a special favor to make her reappearance in the old role of Mrs. Gen. Gilflory in "The Mighty Dollar." The charm of wit and humor as displayed by Mrs. Florence in the role of that merry widow, Mrs. Gen. Gilflory, is her own, and she plays the part with as much fervor as formerly, and infuses into it that high comedy that has made her name famous as a comedienne. In the comedy of "The Mighty Dollar" Mrs. Florence displays a handsome wardrobe from the designs of Felix of Paris. Mrs. J. W. Florence and company are booked for an engagement of one night only on Tuesday, May 30th, at the Victoria theatre.

Evangelistic Meeting.

The service in the Emmanuel Baptist Church last evening was unusually interesting. After singing and prayer, Mr. Marston took for his subject the question of the Philippian jailor, "What must I do to be saved?" Very graphically did he give the story of the introduction of the gospel into Europe, the prayer meeting at the river side, the casting out of the evil spirit, the imprisonment, the earthquake. I knew a man, said the speaker; it took a cyclone to awaken and bring to penitence, and here an earthquake was necessary. You had better waken up now when you are on mercy's side of eternity. The series of stereopticon views illustrating the well known hymn, "From Greenland's Icy Mountains," were very fine and deeply impressed the audience. Subject to-night is: "The Cross Divides the World."

To-morrow (Saturday) evening Mr. Marston will give his famous lecture on "Spurgeon," with numerous views of London, Spurgeon family, tabernacle, etc. A free will offering will be taken at the door. This will be well worth seeing and hearing.

Mrs. Nellie Hines.

Mrs. Nellie Hines, beauty doctor and magnetic healer, and massage treatment given, of New York, can be consulted free of charge at her parlors in the Doane Block, Douglas street. Room 6.

Glasgow beef ham and Gouda cheese, at R. H. Jamieson's Red Front Store, 33 Fort street.

SUICIDE OF JAMES KIRK.

The Enquiry Failed to Discover Any Reason for the Deed.

An inquest on the body of James G. Kirk, who committed suicide, was held yesterday afternoon at the Half Way House on the Esquimalt road, by the coroner, Dr. Hasell, and resulted in a verdict in accordance with the facts. The inquiry elicited very little additional information to that already known. The deceased had been ailing for some days and yesterday morning his sister-in-law came into town for a doctor, leaving the house at 10:30. When she returned in a few hours she found Mr. Kirk dead with his jugular vein cut and a knife clutched in his hand. The witnesses could think of no reason the deceased could have had for committing the deed. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home on Esquimalt road.

The news that Mr. Kirk had killed himself caused great surprise among those who knew him and they are at a loss to account for it in any way. The deceased was a native of Fifeshire, Scotland, and was 50 years of age.

LOOKING FOR GILES.

The Mercantile Agency Ex-Manager Gives Useless Checks and Then Dissappears.

Several business men are anxious to see Geo. Giles, former manager of the B. C. Mercantile Agency. Those most interested in his whereabouts are those who have in their pockets checks signed by him, which were rejected at the bank. Giles sold out his interest in the mercantile agency several days ago to Mr. J. E. Church, his former partner, and shortly afterwards he evidently made up his mind to leave town. Early this week he went around town and had a number of checks cashed. When they were presented at Green, Worlock & Company's bank the holders were told that Giles had closed his account several days previously. There are a number of checks, one of them for $275 being held by a Government street saloon keeper. When Giles asked one gentleman to cash a check for him he said that he had been to the registry office to pay some fees, but the registrar would not take the check unless it was marked, and as it was after banking hours it was impossible to have this done. The gentleman cashed the check, and it, like the others, was returned on account of "no funds."

One of the victims called on Mrs. Giles last evening and she told a very pitiful tale. She said that Giles had left her penniless and that she had mortgaged her furniture some time ago and that the mortgage was to be foreclosed.

It is hard to say if Giles has really left town, but it is known that he has not been seen around his usual haunts during the last 48 hours. Some say that he left town on Tuesday or Wednesday evening, while others are certain that they saw him last evening.

Gambling caused his downfall. He had hardly missed a night from the gaming table for several months, and this was where he was first missed, as his absence one night caused a good deal of surprise. He had been playing heavily and steadily, and his losses would run into the thousands.

Welcome to the Bishop.

Venerable Archdeacon and Mrs. Scriven gave an "At Home" in St. James' Hall last evening to give church-workers an opportunity to meet his lordship the Bishop of Columbia and Miss Perrin. There was a large attendance and a very pleasant evening was spent. The hall was handsomely decorated. During the evening the following address, read by Lieut.-Col. Wolfenden, was presented to His Lordship:

To the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Columbia:

We, the incumbent, churchwardens, lay representatives and church committee, on behalf of the parishioners of St. James', Victoria, desire to offer to your lordship a hearty welcome to our parish.

We wish also to express our earnest hope that this country may be for many years your home, and the scene of your labors in the cause of the Master.

We beg to assure your Lordship that the Parish of St. James will never be behindhand in loyalty to the bishop of the diocese; and we are full of hope, that, under your wise and zealous ministration the church on this island may continue that useful and prosperous career upon which she was first launched by your predecessor, our revered first bishop (Signed.) Austin Scriven, Incumbent: R. Wolfenden, C. A. Goffin, Church-wardens.

The bishop made a suitable reply. He said he was delighted with the cordial reception extended to him, and thanked the archdeacon and Mrs. Scriven for their hospitality.

Followers of Dorcas.

Twelve little girls of James Bay, constituting the Children's Dorcas Society, have embarked in a most worthy enterprise. To-morrow afternoon, at the house of Mrs. Prevost, 39 Montreal street, they will hold a bazaar and sale of work in aid of the widows and families left destitute by the Tumbo Island disaster. The whole affair has been organized and carried out by the children, whose generous effort should receive hearty support and encouragement from the public. Apart from that, the work they have turned out is excellent and in itself well worthy of patronage.

"Sport McAllister."

S. C. Mott, advance agent for Bobby Gaylor's company, is in the city arranging for the appearance of "Sport" at the Victoria next Friday evening. Mr. Mott says the company is vastly improved since its last appearance here, and will offer patrons a play that will give them two hours' pure fun. Mr. Gaylor, as "Sport McAllister, one of the 400," is a great favorite everywhere. Doubtless a large audience will greet the noted comedian next week.

Confirmation at Alberni.

His Lordship Bishop Lemmens returned from a trip to Alberni to-day on the noon train. He went down by steamer and returned overland by stage to Nanaimo and to Victoria by rail. At Alberni on Sunday he confirmed a class of seven young people and delivered a sermon to a congregation which filled the church. His Lordship says that Alberni looks prosperous.

Paying the Claims.

The sealers are being paid their indemnity money to-day, and Collector Milne is a decidedly busy man. The consideration of the matter opened at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The payment of the owners' claims will throw about $75,000 into circulation.

The steamer City of Kingston had a full list of passengers again last evening.

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FACTS ABOUT TOAST BREAD.

Change of the Starch Into Dextrine and Its Good Effects.

Wheaten bread is composed principally of starch. When starch is subjected to a high temperature it is changed into an easily digested substance called dextrine. In the ordinary cooking of a loaf of bread the starch in the outer layers is changed into dextrine, which helps to give the crust that peculiar, agreeable flavor which we call sweet, says the Hotel Reporter. Slices of bread undergo a similar change when toast is made. To make toast successfully one must endeavor to convert as much as possible of the starch into dextrine. To do this, cut the bread one-third of an inch thick, place the slices in a toaster or wire broiler and dry slowly either in a moderate oven or by holding the broiler some distance from the fire.

The object is to give the heat time to penetrate to the centre of the slice before the outside has begun to change color, for if a sheath be formed over the outside at once the moisture will be prevented from becoming sufficiently heated to change its starch, for the temperature will not rise much above 212 degrees Fahrenheit until the water is dried out. Starch is changed to dextrine at 401 degrees Fahrenheit. Toast that is moist in the middle and blackened on the outside is less wholesome than untoasted bread. Great care should therefore be taken with the drying. When this has been accomplished, lower the broiler a little nearer to the coals and the toast will quickly turn a golden brown. An ideal piece of toast is crisp and golden throughout. Many say they prefer toast that is soft inside, and that they cannot eat hard, dry toast, but the ideal piece of toast is not really so hard as it seems.

It breaks and crumbles very easily and moistens very quickly in the mouth. If one would persevere with a slice he would soon learn to prefer it. At all events, that which is soft inside should not be given to the sick. It is better to make the toast dry and then moisten it, if needs be, by dipping the slices into hot water for an instant, not soaking them. Dry toast should be served directly from the toaster. When this is not practicable pile it on a heated bread plate, cover it with a napkin and put it on the hearth in the oven. Toast is given in all slight attacks of sickness because it is easily digested. The more thorough the conversion of the starch the more easily and perfetely the system will manage it, for the change of starch into dextrine by the action of heat is simply doing outside of the body what takes place in it in the ordinary course of digestion by the action of the digestive fluids. Therefore, when this is accomplished by artificial means nature is spared so much energy. Toast thin slices of bread. Put into a shallow pan a pint of water, with half a teaspoonful of salt. Dip each slice quickly into the water, place in a covered dish and spread with butter, piling one slice above another. Do not let the bread soak in the water: endeavor to keep a suggestion of crispness in it, for sloppy, sodden toast is not palatable. Serve hot with apple sauce, sweet baked apples or tart jelly. Water toast is really delicious if care is taken to have it hot. It can be eaten with relish much longer than milk toast.

Miss Klumpke, Astronomer.

A recent issue of the Paris Figaro devotes half a column to an enthusiastic account of a young American girl named Klumpke, who has won for herself recognition as one of the most learned astronomers and most indefatigable and successful observers in France. Five years ago she was received as a pupil in the Observatoire. Since then a few other women have been allowed to join in the work carried on in that world-famous institution, but she was the first to whom the doors were opened, and for a long time she was the only one. Even yet she alone she has the right to call herself an astronomer, for the others are only her assistants, attending to photographic measurements and other mechanical work incident to the preparation of a great map of the sky soon to be issued.

Miss Klumpke's labors are of quite a different kind, and consist entirely of original observations and research. Already a bachelor of science and soon to be admitted to the doctorate, her seal and intelligence have won for her a highly-privileged position. One of the two great equatorials is reserved exclusively for her use, and every day at noon, in the evening, or at dawn, she has full charge of the eastern tower. Alone in the huge dome, she manoeuvres a telescope more than 20 feet long, and for hours at a time studies the sun, moon or stars. Her especial duty is to record the movements of the planets and to search for new comets and nebulae, while a man in the western tower, using a similar instrument, makes, for the sake of securing something like absolute accuracy, observations of the same bodies.

There are many difficulties and not a few hardships connected with this work. The dome is burning hot in summer and icy cold in winter, for, of course, during the one season there is no shade, and during the other no fire. The shutter in front of the great objective, too, is always open, admitting constant currents of air. But, no matter what the weather may be, the young astronomer is always at her post. Until her task is finished her attention never wanders. Upon the rare visitors to her lonesome tower she bestows hardly a glance, but works on unconcernedly until the last reading from the verniers has been noted. Then, if the hour is far advanced, instead of going through the deserted streets she retires to a little chamber that has been fitted up for her in the building, and there passes the rest of the night.

Miss Klumpke is tall and slender and hardly looks her 24 years. She has long auburn hair and dreamy eyes, half-hidden behind the mathematician's inevitable eye-glasses. Notwithstanding the Teutonism of her name, she comes of a family that has long been resident in California. She is not the only member of it who has won distinction. Anna Klumpke, her sister, is an artist of merit, particularly noted as miniaturist, and some of her work has been exhibited at the National Academy of Design, New York. Another sister, Mme. Dejerine, is a doctor and the wife of a doctor. She shares with Mme. Bertillon-Schultz the honor of being the best patronized woman physician in Paris.

Materials and Heat.

Experiments with wind currents in glass houses show that a room heated to seventy degrees in zero weather, with a still atmosphere, will be cooled 20 degrees in five minutes and 45 seconds; the same room will be cooled 20 degrees in two minutes and 30 seconds when the wind is blowing at the rate of three miles an hour; and it will be cooled 20 degrees in 48 seconds when the wind is blowing at the rate of 27 miles an hour; and these figures, in view of the fact that it is a common occurrence for the wind to blow from 20 to 30 miles an hour, are cited to show the importance of carefully considering the number and size of windows and exposed walls before designing an apparatus for warming a building. It is further found that a granite wall 18 inches thick will lose 67 per cent. more heat than a brick wall of the same thickness; a frame building, plastered on the inside and covered with paper, felt and sheathing on the outside, will lose 75 per cent less heat than a brick wall of the same thickness; a frame house built without a paper felt covering on the outside will lose 25 per cent more heat than the same house if it is covered with felt. Again, it is demonstrated that one square foot of glass will lose as much heat as six square feet of 12-inch brick wall. If closely-fitted double sashes are used 75 per cent less heat will be lost than with the single sash arrangement.

Why Do Women Blush?

Blushing is not an art. Neither is it an absolute sign of ill-breeding, as some unkind folk maintain. The fact is, it is just as natural for some people to blush on one occasion as it is for others to turn pale on another. The same laws of nature which govern the one rule govern the other. The capillaries or small blood vessels which connect the arteries and veins in the body, form, particularly over the cheeks, a network so fine that it is necessary to employ a microscope to distinguish them.

Ordinarily the blood passes through these vessels in normal volume, leaving only the natural complexion. But when some sudden emotion takes possession of the heart its action increases and an electric thrill instantly leaps to the cheeks. The thrill is nothing more than the rush of the blood trough the invisible capillaries; the color is nothing more than the blood just beneath the delicate surface of the skin. The causes that bring about this condition in the circulating system are called mental stimuli. They consist of joy, anger, shame and the many other emotions.

Sudden horror, remorse or fear, on the contrary, influence the nerves which control the blood vessels, and the face become white. Blushing and pallor result from the sudden action of the mind on the nervous system. So if the mind be forewarned and prepared for emotions both habits can at least be partially overcome. But when the nervous system is highly strung it would be a lifelong if not futile, task to endeavor to effect a perfect cure. It is the sensitive, nervous girl who blushes easily, while the girl stolid by nature, or who, by education, has her nerves under perfect control, seldom blushes.

Camels in Australia.

Although the camel proved unsatisfactory for use as a beast of burden in the mining regions of Nevada and Arizona, the animal is rapidly coming into favor and profitable use in mining countries in other parts of the world. It seems probable to the mining industry that in South Africa the camel will take the place of the horse for most uses, as the camel is not injured by the insects which prove fatal to the horse and the bullock, nor is it attacked by the diseases that destroy other beasts of burden. The Germans are already making great use of the camels in southwest Africa. They are found to be very valuable for making long journeys into the arid interior regions of the country, as they are able to travel a whole week without food or water. In Australia the camel is fast taking the place of bullocks for use in the barren interior regions. It is stated that there are already opened up and in regular work in Australia five lines of camel traffic, and that on these lines over 2,000 camels are in daily use. Camels are found to be so useful that the number employed will be increased as rapidly as possible. With bullock teams only about ten miles a day can be made, but it is found that the camel will travel eighty-four miles in eighteen hours, carrying a load of 300 pounds. In the interior of Australia are 1,000,000 square miles of almost unknown desert, and it is on the great inland plains that it is intended to utilize the camel trains, as by their use the various oases of civilization may be more directly connected than by the old bullock routes. On the arid plains and among the mud flats and brackish lakes the camel finds plenty of coarse grass and thorny shrubs on which to subsist. It is claimed that work can be found in Australia for 1,000,000 camels.

Gambling Under Water.

The Glasgow Weekly Herald says: No part of the operations in connection with the erection of the service or accommodation bridge across the river at at the Broomielaw excites so much attention as those of the diver. Nor is his work seen at all. Yet crowds wait couth-looking worker descend amid the to see the wonderfully-dressed and unbubbles that rise from his helmet, and hold their breath as he disappears from view, whilst his reappearance on the surface is always hailed with expressions of wonder and delight, and in the eyes of many of the on-lookers the diver is a veritable hero.

Not so many years ago this submarine labor was done by means of the diving-bell, into which two or more men went before being lowered into the water. The delay in some parts of the work at one time caused much alarm to those in charge of this branch of the River Thames conservancy operations. The men were coaxed and remonstrated with on the matter, and it was not until one of the heads of departments, disguised as a sub-marine laborer, went down, was it discovered that the delay was due to the men spending their time —in the bed of the river, with steamers and craft of all descriptions passing almost over their heads—doing what? Well, neither more nor less than gambling, playing cards, dice and dominoes. This was found to be the case. "all along the line," and so, after much cogitation, the trustees made up their minds to purchase diving dresses, and as a consequence the under-water work is now being done at a tenth of the cost, even although one man in the dress required as much attention as three men in the bell. Talk about baccarat and "nap" in strange places!

A Bargain Driven by Emerson.

We were speaking of Emerson and I had shown my idolatary of that sweet Athenian Yankee, when my friend said: "There is no question that Ralph Waldo Emerson was a grand old American Socrates, or Plato, if you will; but much of the starch of my veneration for him was taken out by the way he once contended with a newsdealer at the Causeway street end of the Fitchburg depot for the reduction of the price of a Boston evening daily paper, because it was the issue of a day or two previous. It reminded me of the huckstering I witnessed in a bakeshop some time before, where a woman insisted on having a five-cent loaf of bread for three cents because it was two days old, and finally, after a wordy contention with the white-capped baker, compromised by paying four cents for the bread.

"Ralph, the venerable, had the courage of his mercenary convictions and insisted for a time on having a cent reduction on the price of the paper. The newsdealer, too, had the courage of his trade, and did not seem to care a bawbee for the author of the 'Over Soul,' although I found afterward that he knew the intellectually august gentleman with whom he was dealing. Knowing the person of the Concord philosopher I was amused enough to wait over another train, had not the purchaser and vendor compromised, and the dear, good man bought the wished-for paper with another of that evening's issue."—Boston Globe.

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The Late Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew.

The recent sudden death of Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew, wife of the President of the New York Central Railroad, recalls the fact that she was the daughter of the late William Hegeman, of New York, who made a fortune in the drug business. She was born in New York. Her mother's maiden name was Niven, and Mrs. Niven was a cousin of the mother of Mr. Depew. As cousins young Depew and Miss Hegeman were thrown together from childhood.

MRS. CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW.

They attended school together as children and were constantly in one another's company. It was in 1870 that they decided to marry, and, their parents having given their approval, the wedding was fixed for Nov. 9, 1871.

When Mr. and Mrs. Depew became husband and wife they did not possess the wealth which has come to them in later years. They began keeping house rather modestly. When the baby, Chauncey M. Depew, jr., came Mrs. Depew for years confined herself to caring for him and two nieces left in her charge. Though thoroughly of a domestic character, Mrs. Depew managed to cultivate her taste for music. Her father was the finest amateur performer on the piano in New York and the daughter inherited his talent. Many who have heard her play have pronounced her the equal of any amateur in the country. She studied several foreign languages and learned to speak French and German as fluently as her own tongue.

Mrs. Depew often acted as her husband's private secretary. She was very fond of paintings, sculpture and engravings, and as wealth came to her husband she expended large sums in decorating her home with the finest specimens to be procured. The collections which adorns the Depew home is one of the choicest.

While Mrs. Depew went into society comparatively little, she was fond of it. Nothing pleased her so much as to help the needy and the suffering. As President of the Ladies' Hahneman Hospital Association she was able to perform a world of good. Her charities were very numerous.

Many a young woman has been aided in gaining a livelihood through the help of Mrs. Depew. Her work in connection with the missions of St. Bartholomew's Church, of which she was a member, was that of a devoted Christian wife and mother seeking to help others all she could.

Mrs. Depew was of medium height, of slight build and very dignified in carriage and deportment. She was a charming conversationalist and a brilliant and fascinating woman. Her ancestors came over with the early Hollanders. Her grandfather was Judge Adrian Hegeman, who was a magistrate for many years during the Dutch Colonial period. Her mother was a daughter of Col. Niven, a distinguished New York lawyer.

An interesting observation was recently made by a judge of the Supreme Court of Illinois in an opinion, in which he defines a medical expert "as a practising physician who is a graduate of a regular medical college in good standing and has practised his profession for many years." Such a man he considers competent to give an opinion upon a hypothetical question setting forth the symptoms of a deceased person, whether from the effects of poisoning or not, although he may be shown not to have had any such case of poisoning in his practice. The judge holds that "a medical witness in giving his opinion as an expert is not confined to his own observation and experience, but may give an opinion based upon information derived from medical books."

Ex-Chief Justice Tottenham of Calcutta, who arrived here on the steamer Empress of India, left yesterday for Chicago over the Northern Pacific. From the Fair he will go to England.

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KOOTENAY LETTER.

The "Tenderfoot" in a Camp—New Strike Reported at Duncan River.

(From our own Correspondent.)

Nelson, May 23.—In a mining camp as elsewhere, newcomers are looked upon with a certain amount of suspicion. To avoid being called a "tenderfoot," one must immediately conform to the methods of speech and dress of the crowd. A dictionary of mining terms and their meanings should be carefully stowed away with a colored flannel shirt and sombrero, and while journeying towards the Kootenay Eldorado it would be as well to know how to express with facility the golden prospects, from the first appearance of "float" to the discovery and final working of some claim with its "crosscuts," "stoping" and tunnel work, and if possible it would be as well to learn a little about the general work in Montana and Colorado. The new arrival who can droll out a string of information about these latter places, whether his knowledge be superficial or deep, can generally pass in a crowd as a well-informed mining man, and if he possesses likewise a few ounces of assurance he runs little chance of detection until he begins to talk to some of the recognized mining authorities.

The crude manners of living in and about the mining camps strike one as being ludicrous, but when one has to settle down and join with the crowd the reality seems to suddenly wear out the funny part of it. In midwinter in the Kootenay country the thermometer often registers 20 degress below zero and yet the houses and hotels are nearly all mere frame shells, lacking the warmth of the log huts and mud plaster of the hardy pioneers in eastern Canada.

A fresh strike of gold is reported from the Duncan river country, where there are at present 500 or 600 prospectors at work.

T. J. Davies has staked a rich silver claim on the townsite of Lardo at the head of the Kootenay lake.

Sam Shultz, B.A., of Victoria, has arrived in Nelson, where he will practice law.

Owing to the delay of the authorities in settling the disputed ownership of the original townsite of New Denver, it is altogether likely that the site of the town will be changed to what is known as the Bigelow addition. This addition was recently sold to a strong syndicate of Minneapolis capitalists, and they intend to build wharves and erect other improvements. By the time the Government has decided the rightful ownership of the disputed lands the town will be located elsewhere.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOYS.

To the Editor: If you will allow me space, in your paper I would like to state a few facts in regard to the James Bay and Westminster junior lacrosse match, which may put a different color on the game to that which the Colonist presents. In the first place, the team from Westminster was not a junior one at all, but a team of men, who should have been ashamed to come down here and play against boys. One of them, who seemed to be about six feet tall, said he was 25 years old. The oldest player in the boys is only 19, and the rest average about 15 or 16. The best player on the field for Westminster was not a member of the West Ends (the team supposed to play) but had been picked out from another club. The morring paper says that the boys got some good coaching from the seniors. This is not so. They have only played with them one night for a couple of hours. This being their first match with any team from outside Victoria, the boys were naturally a little nervous, and also they were afraid to check their opponents, as from their size if the Westminsters had chosen to play rough the boys would not have had a show. The boys feel the roasting which they got from the Colonist very much, as they did their best against a team who were twice the size and age of themselves. Instead of encouraging them to do better next time, the Colonist throws cold water over the whole team and makes them appear to outsiders as if they could not play lacrosse at all, but that is wrong, as the James Bays put up a good game against the men and made them work hard to gain their four straights.

JUNIOR.

Victoria, May 25.

CHINA AND THE CHINESE.

To the Editor: I am not annoyed at all at all that Capt. Robertson should say that I am "totally ignorant of China," for the reason that China is very big and unfamiliar, and because the stretching out of life merely the more convinces me that none of us—parsons, doctors, scientists, Indian medicine men, mining experts, members of assembly, able editors and even the judges of the land—know much about anything in the sense of being "in the real know." Certainly no authority of any kind on any subject gathers around my own humble name. Still, on the assumption that what I venture, for a present purpose, to call my "mind" is not a sieve, but a normal, average entity, there are some reasons which seem to suggest that the above quarterdeck averment may not be fully true. May I not claim, at any rate, the merit of the industrious flea, seeing that I have ransacked upon the subject of mysterious China the libraries of London, Paris, Lisbon and New York? (Are we to understand that the commandant has some fresh, additional matter in his island archives —enshrined in Volapuk or Chinook—which he, unfairly, withholds from the world outside of Moresby?) Rummaging among the unpublished records of the East India Company in old Leadenhall —dear by reason of Elian and Peacockian memories, and Mill, by the way, too —(wherein strange things many did I see), moreover, mayhap, was not in my case unfruitful. Another fact, perhaps, may show, or tend to show, some undue haste on the part of your worthy correspondent in dubbing me an ignoramus on Chinese matters. Among the 74 competitors in the opium policy competition were 16 Chinamen, who wrote in their own funny language, and of these four were eminent literati of the empire, commissioned to present to the world the Pekin government's view of the question. The 58 others comprised, as is known, distinguished Indian officials, and, as may be surmised, the usual ruck of missionary, Robertsonian, Bethel-skipper scribblers. The commandant "don't believe" what he has not seen through his own binocular and put down in his own log-book, and so "don't believe" that many English fen farmers use opium. All that I can say is that I visited Lincolnshire to inquire into this subject. I lodged in a farm house, talked Darwin to the creed-bound rector, went in hospitable gigs to market, flirted a little bit, found out all about opium, and returned to London satisfied. Verification, sir, is the essence of scholarship. Is a scholar to be overborne by quarterdeck airs? I wrote nothing about modern matters in China (if anything is "modern" there) that had not, more or less, the sanction of the following correspondents or friends: Sir Brooke Robertson, H. B. M. consul at Canton; Sir Arthur Kennedy, governor of Hong Kong, erstwhile of our own Victoria; also ex-Governor Sir John Bouring, linguist of renown, and others of that stamp. On one side they—on the other an inaccurate gentleman on an island, who, by occult mental process, connects the policy of the government of India in a domestic matter with the maintenance of the fleet at Esquimalt and the strike of some Scotch workmen at Dundee. Electrocution, I am more than ever convinced, is the only suitable remedy in the case.

Yours truly,
G. M. SPROAT.

Vassar Girls Play Antigone.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 26.—Tonight the Greek department of Vassar college will give the long-talked-of representation of the Antigone of Sophocles in the original Greek at the Poughkeepsie opera house. Remarkable interest is shown in the event, and in addition to the large number of visitors already attracted to the city, a special train of ten cars, filled with society and literary people, arrived from New York this morning. The parts will be taken entirely by students of the college, and the play will be performed as nearly as possible in the manner of an Athenian tragedy of the time of Sophocles. Mendelssohn's Antigone music has been adapted for the choruses. The play centers about Antigone, who goes to her doom because of her deep and tender love of her brother. The king has forbidden any one, under penalty of death, to bury Polynices. Antigone, his sister, buries him, having first sought, but in vain, to enlist the help of her sister Ismene. She is discovered and brought before the king. She fearlessly avows her deed. By his order she is entombed alive and hangs herself in her rock-hewn sepulchre. Creon will be played by Miss Bartlett, of Providence; Antigone by Miss Slade, of Quincy, Mass; Ismene, Miss Van Sycol, Flemington, N. J.; Haemon, Miss Presbrey, Providence; Eurydice, Miss Macauley, Louisville, Ky.; Teresias, Miss Cooley, Mainfield, N. J.; Guard, Miss Mathes, Memphis; first messenger, Miss Joliffe, San Francisco; second messenger, Miss Tyron, Cambridge; leader of the chorus, Miss Berry of Forestville, N.Y.

South American News.

Buenos Ayres, May 26.—Ministers Victorio and Remero have resigned. Senor Quintana will probably be named as minister of the interior and Senor Escapante as minister of finance.

In the Bolivian elections the national party has gained important victories in the department of Potosi and Sucre.

Indians in the outlying districts on the borders of Brazil have again risen in revolt against the authorities. The Bolivian government has sent troops to quell the insurrection. Baron Rivers' party has gone to Mellende, Peru, to explore the newly-discovered rubber forests in the Bentos district.

Dr. Webb's Fence.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., May 26.—Dr. W. Seward Webb does not intend that anyone shall trespass on his private reserve. This week he began the erection of a wire fence around Nehasane Park, including Lake Lila. The fence will be 63 miles long, 9 feet high and composed of 14 parallel wires. It will cost $50,000.

Commission Swindlers Caught.

City of Mexico, May 26.—Commission agents Monagoa and Alonzo are charged with fraud, having during the last few months swindled many customers out of large sums. Among the victims is the Mexican National Railroad Company, which will lose $15,000. Vincent Moragoa, the senior partner, is under arrest, but his partner has not yet been found.

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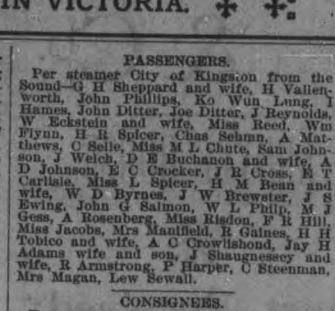

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Dated the 11th day of May, A.D. 1893.
my11-td CARLO BOSSI.

NOTICE

IS hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a renewal of the license held by me to sell wine, beer and spirituous liquors in the Hotel Victoria, corner Government and Johnson streets, Victoria, B.C.

P. T. PATTON.
Victoria, 10th May, 1893. td

NOTICE.

IS hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next sitting to be held in June, 1893, for a renewal of the license granted to me to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented liquors in the premises known as the "Janion Hotel," situated on Store street, Victoria, B.C.

Dated May 10th, 1893.
JOHN TURNER,
Applicant.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the city of Victoria at its next sitting, June 14th, 1893, for a renewal of my license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail in the building known as "Duck's Building," situate on the west side of Broad street, between Johnson and Yates streets, in the city of Victoria.

Dated May 8th, 1893.
my8-td M. C. BROWN.

Notice of Application for Transfer of Retail Liquor License.

Notice s hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners in the city of Victoria, on the second Wednesday in June next, application will be made to the Board that the retail liquor license issued under sub-section 3 of section 204 of the Municipal Act, 1892, to Angus & Gordon, on the 18th day of February, 1893, may be transferred to Robert Erskine and Edmund James Wall, and that the temporary permission for the transfer of the said license, granted on the 22nd day of April, 1893, by the Mayor, under authority of section 221 of the said act, may be ratified and extended. The premises in respect of which the license is held and the transfer sought are at the northwest corner of Government and Fort streets. Dated this 10th day of May, A.D. 1893.

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Twelve hundred spectators were present at the Driving Park yesterday afternoon, the first day of the spring meeting of the Victoria Jockey Club. The weather was beautiful and the track in good condition.. The electric cars had all the passengers they could carry and the hacks were in demand. The grand stand was crowded, the fair sex being the chief occupiers of the seats.

It was after 2 o'clock when the judge's bell rang for the first event on the programme, the Gentlemen's Roadsters one mile trotting race. The purse was $100, 2 in 3 heats. Entries were Jack Simcoe, owned by J. S. Bowker; Frank, owned by H. Riley; Harry Prentice, owned by H. H. Field. There was not much betting on this event. Harry Prentice seemed the favorite, although there were several backers on Jack Simcoe. The horses went off in the first heat well together, but when they had done a quarter-of-a-mile Prentice and Frank balked and Jack Simcoe's driver forced him ahead. On the second round both Frank and Prentice were pushed, but Jack Simcoe was kept to a steady gait, which was increased as he neared the finish. He won the race easily. Frank was second.

After a fifteen-minutes' interval the second heat was run. Jack Simcoe repeated his performance of the first heat, only that he won still more easily, and with a greater distance between him and the second horse, Frank. Time, first heat 3.07; second heat 3.03.

Murphy, owned by Frank Campbell, was "scratched" for the half-mile dash, but he had not been shipped from Vancouver in time. That left seven horses in the race. Patsy Curran and Rifton were favorities and money was freely wagered on them at the pool. Baley, of the Broadmead Farm, was sometimes selected as second choice. The rest of the horses went with the field. The pools were on the average $15, Curran being first choice for $5, Rifton second choice for a like sum. The field sold for $5. Nearly an hour was taken up in getting a fair start. E. H. Rowland's Allen; J. P. Matthews' Seal; H. S. Anderson's Roanock; H. H. Hill's Patsy Curren; Broadmead Farm's Baby; and J. Hayes' Rifton came up to the starting point at the ringing of the bell. Baby, Rifton, Roanock and Curren, each in turn, got away on false starts. Roanoak, ridden by a boy of 12, went round the course before the boy could pull up. Roanoak had hardly completed his half-mile on a false start when his "stock" went up and many observers said that though he was an outsider he was going to win. At last a good start was made. Seal got away first, followed closely by Rifton and Roanoak. The remainder were in a group immediately in the rear. At the quarter-mile post Rifton and Roanoak were pushed ahead and for a while they were running even. Seal was passed, tried to regain first position, but failed. The race then lay between Rifton and Roanoak. Roanoak's boy-rider again spurred on his horse and passed Rifton, got three lengths ahead and took inside track. When within a short distance of the winning post Rifton's rider again spurted and was gaining on Roanoak. But the boy-rider had his horse well in hand and without further effort brought him in well ahead of Rifton. Seal came in third. Time, 54 seconds.

The half-mile dash was interesting, but the Queen's plate more so. Entries were: E. O'Rourke's Henrietta; A. McConnell's Oriole; Glengarry Farm's Rose; Glengarry Farm's Gertie; R. G. McKenzie's Bounty; B. Van Volkenburgh's Dave. The pool started with Oriole as favorite, but there were plenty of Bounty men to back their choice. The first choice, however, was generally the field as an impression seemed to be gaining ground among the crowd that this was a day for outsiders. Occasionally Henrietta was backed. When there had been ten minutes of quick-selling pools, a man stepped to the front and handed a piece of paper to the pool seller. The paper was read to the crowd and on it was these words: "The owner of the Glengarry Farm declines to win with Gertie. Betting went on just the same and the majority paid little attention to the declaration of the owner of Glengarry Farm. There was one individual, however, who always wagered his money on Gertie. He must have bet $100 or more. He also bought the field freely, when Gertie was in it. There was another long and tedious starting period. At last the red flag was dropped. Dave was in the lead and immediately on his heals was Gertie. Bounty and Oriole were fighting for third position, and the rest followed up closely in the rear. The first half-mile found Gertie, Henrietta and Oriole closely together. Bounty had dropped back. When the mile was made it was plain that the race lay between the third and first horses. Oriole got slightly ahead, but Gertie took the position from her, and the little boyjockey on Henrietta was pushing his horse well. Gertie still maintained first position. Henrietta took second place and Oriole third. The declaration of the owner of the Glengarry Farm was correct. He did win with Gertie. The color of his jockey was crimson.

An American Centenarian.

Rock Island, Ill., May 26.—Mr. Moss Pierre, for a long time a resident of this village, celebrated the 100th anniversary of his birth at the home of his daughters last night. He was born in Corinth, Orange County, Vermont, on May 25th, 1793. He has living two sisters and one brother, one son and three daughters, besides many grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Although he is blind and has kept his bed about three years, his mental faculities are remarkably well preserved. He is an authority on all local happenings in the last fifty or sixty years. Besides other presents a purse of 100 silver dollars was made up for him by wealthy and influential neighbors.

CONSENTED TO RETURN.

Cashin Will go South and Stand Trial for Fraud.

San Francisco, May 26.—D. M. Cashin, formerly deputy collector of this port, who several months ago fled to British Columbia to avoid arrest for having defrauded the government, wants to return. Cashin and a number if importers came to an understanding, and for months goods were smuggled through the customs house upon which duties amounting to thousands of dollars were not paid. Several weeks ago Mrs. Cashin came to San Francisco from British Columbia to learn what could be done in behalf of her husband. She visited United States Attorney Garter, but it is said she did not meet with much encouragement from that quarter. Shortly after Mrs. Cashin's visit an attorney, accompanied by a friend of Cashin, waited upon Garter for the purpose of arranging a compromise. It was explained by the attorney that Cashin was anxious to return and stand trial, but he wanted the amount of his bond reduced. Garter consented to reduce the bonds from $100,000 to $10,000 if Cashin would consent to return for trial, and it is now said that Cashin will come to San Francisco as soon as his business affairs in British Columbia are settled.

EX-SECRETARY FOSTER FAILS.

A Big Financial Sensation—Mr. Foster States His Case.

Fostoria, Ohio, May 26.—Ex-Secretary Foster and the banking house of Foster & Co., have assigned. There is great excitement in Fostoria.

New York, May 26.—The Foster Banking Company, of Fostoria, Ohio, which was reported to have assigned this morning, according to the last issue of the Bankers' Almanac, had a capital of $45,000, a surplus of $20,000, and undivided profits of $9000.

Foster was in business in Fostoria as a dry goods merchant. Soon after the war he helped to organize the Fostoria National Bank. By shrewd calculation in real estate, he became wealthy, and in 1879, when elected governor of Ohio for the first time, he was reputed to be worth $1,000,000. During the next four years he lost heavily in the Lake Superior copper mines, in natural gas and street railway speculation. At Findlay, Ohio, during its temporary boom, he invested largely. When the bubble burst he, with many others lost many thousands of dollars. He also lost by endorsing notes for business and political friends. Since then he attempted to recoup his losses, but only became more deeply involved. The crash was temporarily averted by his appointment as secretary of the treasury. It is thought he will at best not more than pay his debts.

The liabilities given out by Foster are $600,000, and the assets about the same. He made the assignment during the night and the papers were filed at Tiffin, Ohio, by Mr. Scott, at an early hour this morning. The bank of Fostoria was closed by an attachment for $3,200 in favor of the Isaac Shorter Mill Co., and at the same time the wholesale grocery house of Davis & Foster was closed by an attachment for $12,000 in favor of O. I. Brown.

The presence of the sheriff was the first inkling many people got that something was wrong, and it soon leaked out that an assignment had been made. The news spread rapidly and soon the streets were filled with people eager to learn the extent of the calamity that had befallen the city.

The assignment of ex-Secretary Foster was the signal for the assignment of a number of concerns. Half a dozen prominent industries will go to the wall and hundreds of persons will be thrown out of employment. The loss to business men, who were depositors in Foster & Co.'s bank, is one of the deplorable features of the crash. It is generally believed that his unstinted generosity and phenomenal public spirit have been the indirect causes of his financial downfall, as he was ever ready to lend a helping hand to the poor and worthy.

The deposits in the bank at the time of its last statement amounted to $175,000, but it is impossible to ascertain what they are at the present time, as the cashier is reticent and prefers to have the assignee make a public statement.

Washington, D. C., May 26.—Universal sympathy is expressed here for ex-secretary Foster in his financial embarrassment. Especially is this the case in the treasury department, where Foster was personally very popular.

Fostoria, May 26, (5:30 p. m.)—The following statement was given to the public this morning by the ex-secretary:

"Words cannot express the deep distress and humiliation I feel. If I could bear all the burden that my failure will entail, I should feel a sense of relief. It is no consolation to look back over a business life of 45 years, which has gained for me a position of confidence that has rarely been achieved. I know that I have aided hundreds of people to maintain an honorable standing, or to gain a competency, and some a large degree of wealth. I know that now I have by my failure injured many people, but I hope none are to be ruined. When I returned from Washington I knew that my indorsements for the Window Glass Company and the Brass and Iron Works Company were very large, so large in fact as to induce me to fear that I would have to suspend at that time. I, however, prevailed upon a friend to give me a large amount of help and they felt confident that I could maintain myself and come out all right. These concerns owed more than I then supposed, and to add to my misfortunes, the affairs of the Fostoria Light and Power Company, of which I am a large stockholder and endorser, proved to be in a bad shape financially. Then cam ethe unfortunate financial condition of the country. Everyone that I owed wanted his money, and no one would lend. Payments for glass instead of being in cash, were made in paper; sales, in fact, came to a standstill. I struggled, seeking every possible means to tide over the situation, but I am compelled to assign. I did not give up the struggle till to-day, May 26th. I have given mortgages to two women, who relied on me to invest their money, it being about all the property they have, amounting to about $4000.

"It is only just to myself to say that two things have caused my downfall. One was neglect of business occasioned by my devotion to politics, and the other to an over-zealous desire to build up Fostoria. I do not know that at my time of life I ought to indulge the hope of being able to repair my fortunes and pay, but I shall try and it will be the one end for which I shall live. In this hour of unspeakable distress I only crave the generous judgment of the public, a public that will be deeply shocked over the financial downfall of a man who has enjoyed their confidence to a remarkable degree. The aggregate amount of liabilities, including bank deposits, my individual debts, the three glass companies, the brass and iron works companies, the light and power company, will be about $600,000. The assets on the paper mill will more than cover the liabilities. Mr. Wilkeson (the cashier) has secured the school fund and the building and loan association funds against loss.

(Signed) CHAS. FOSTER.

Comparative Politeness.

Politeness is the result of different motives, and manifests itself in different ways, according to the individual and his nationality. The Englishman is generally accredited, in his own country at least, with cultivating a genuine and sincere kind of politeness, which is inspired as much by good feeling as by good breeding. It is further alleged that the true Briton scorns the idea of allowing his inward principles on this subject to be influenced by outward appearances or circumstances, and that consequently he is not less polite, or very little less so at all events, to his uncouth, unamiable, and poor neighbor, than he would be to his renowned rich one. French politeness is pleasant enough, as far as it goes, but it is often difficult to decide how far it does go. The Italians are of the opinion that they excel as a nation in knightly gallantry. To have a good opinion of one's self is next to possessing that of others; but in truth we believe that it is only the Spaniard who can contest this honor with the Italian. The pretty, flattering speech flourished nowhere more in former times, on the European continent, than in Spain and Italy. In Venice, for instance, some fifty years ago, a graceful or pretty woman was complimented by the passer-by in the streets on her beauty as one might now compliment on a pretty child or portrait. Noble and peasant were equally susceptible to beauty's charms; and when the exclamation, "Che bella donna," was heard, one turned, not to look in astonishment at the speaker, but in quest of the object of his admiration. At this date the Venetian restaurants were likewise the scene of such and similar compliments. Little or no heed was paid, however, to these business banalities. It might have startled a foreigner then, as it would now, to hear the waiter say, "There is room for the pretty signora at this table;" or, addressing a male customer, ask, according to circumstances, "Would the signor with the beautiful eyes, hair, or beard, like to sit here?" But the Venetians who frequented the second and third-rate restaurants were only too much accustomed to this self-interested adulation, and were doubtless thankful when at last it gave place to a more reasonable form of dialogue. Had such compliments been anything more than formalities, it would have required all the waiter's or the proprietor's ingenuity to avoid creating jealousies amongst the ladies of the company at least.—Evening Standard.

The Father of the French Navy.

Admiral Paris, "the father of the French navy," died recently at the age of 87. His first important service was performed 57 years ago, when he accompanied Dumont d'Urville in a voyage which added considerable to our knowledge of the Pacific Islands. Unlike most sailors of the old school, he early appreciated the advantages of steam. It was under his command that the Cape of Good Hope was first doubled by a French steamship, and he lost an arm at Pondicherry through an accident caused by a steam engine ashore. During the Crimean war he was captain of a two-decker, and won the rank of vice-admiral. He was appointed curator of the naval museum at the Louvre after his retirement in 1871. He devoted his official salary to the improvement of the collection under his charge.

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THOMPSON-McDONALD—On Wednesday, May 24th, in the Methodist church, Victoria West, by Geo. H. Morden, resident minister, William Thompson to Flora Belle, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald, all of Victoria.

DIED.

KIRK—On the 25th instant, James G. Kirk, a native of Fifeshire, Scotland, aged 50 years.

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